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Gilbert

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Gilbert

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
84	**Box #**	**Notebk #**	**Surname**	**First Name**	**State**	**Birth Yr**	**Death Yr**	**Assoc Surnames**	**Comments**
85	7	1	Vallis - Part 1	Fridericiana					
86	7	2	Vallis - Part 2	Fridericiana					
87	7	3	Gilbert						
88	7	4	Bobo	Samuel					
89	7	5	Bobo	Foster					
90	7	6	Smith/Finch						
91	7	7	Delaney & Kennedy						
92	7	8	Hooker						
93	7	9	Gamble						
94	7	10	Neal	Charles					

5/13/94

Dear Melanie,

Hope this will help. I got a few ideas looking at the material in chronological order. It appears that John Gilbert, probably the son of Wm I, was the early one to go to TN and was dead by 1810. No idea who this one's wife was.

The Laurens Co, SC John Gilbert & wife Sarah appear to be selling their land about 1817/1818, which would be about the time we think they went to TN. This one's wife is clearly Sarah Roberts, I think.

I also may be making another connection to the (my) Roberts line. It's conjectural, but certainly plausible.

Jacob Roberts had a son John Roberts and a daughter who married a Brown (Ellender Roberts Brown.) John Roberts witnesses his dad's will. My John Roberts (see FGS) was b ca 1765 & married Sarah Smith. Two of their daughters married the Rev John Gilbert's sons - John C. & D.A. Gilbert. Note another daughter married James L. Foster. I've never done any work to see where in NC/SC my Roberts lived, although the wife of John Roberts, Sarah's, family was in Pendleton, Co. SC. Sarah Smith Roberts' sister, Ruth, married William Frances or Brown in SC in 1808 and ~~I see~~ ~~It is possible that~~ another sister, Elizabeth married Hugh Brown. There were a bunch of Fosters & Browns in the area the NC/SC Gilberts were in.

This MIGHT lead to a really inbred line for me:

I — Jacob Roberts m Mary (?)

II — The Rev. John Gilbert m Sarah Roberts; John Roberts m Sarah Smith

III — John C. Gilbert ← m → Rachael ~~Ann~~ Roberts

D.A. Gilbert ← m → Lucretia Roberts

If this were true, then the two Gilbert brothers would be marrying their 1st cousins.

The Browns, Roberts, Gilberts, Fosters seem to have been in the same places at the same time. I have corresponded with Foster + Brown researchers + will check it out.

Anyway, think about it.

I need deed books for Bedford County!

Hope this arrives fast.

The Sisters will formally look over material + make suggestions + do a preliminary search for a small ($50?) fee. Maybe we should do that – I'd split the cost with you.

Hope you can read this.

Fondly,
Patsy West

Roberts - Smith Line

HUSBAND: John **Roberts** Sr. #101
dea: deceased
bir[1]: CA 1765 child in VA
mar: BEF 1792 groom
Father: an unknown person #0
Mother: an unknown person #0

WIFE: Sarah **Smith** #102
dea[2]: deceased in Bedford Co., TN
bur: interred in Bedford Co., TN
bir[3]: 16 Nov 1774 child in North Carolina
mar: BEF 1792 bride
Father: John **Smith** Sr. #191
Mother: Elizabeth **Simpson** #192

CHILDREN X indicates ancestor of preparer

1 F
Name: Elizabeth **Roberts** #103[4]
dea: deceased
bir: 26 Jul 1792 child
mar: CA 1812 bride
to: John **England** #350

2 F
Name: Mary **Roberts** #104[7]
dea: deceased
bir: 11 Oct 1794 child in NC
mar: CA 1822 bride in TN
to: Samuel **Moore** #364

3 M
Name: William **Roberts** #105[10]
dea: deceased
bir: 19 Oct 1796 child

4
Name: John **Roberts** Jr. #106[11]
dea: deceased

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Relationship to Husband: 4-greats granddaughter
Relationship to Wife: 4-greats granddaughter

M	bir:	25 Dec 1798	child
5	Name:	Juten **Justen** Roberts/ #107[12]	
	dea:		deceased
M	bir:	29 Nov 1800	child
6	Name:	Nancy **Roberts** #108[13]	
F	bir:	23 Dec 1802	child in NC
	mar:	Nov 1820	bride
	to:	James Littleton **Foster** #309	
	dea:	2 Jan 1867	deceased
7	Name:	Reason **Rezin** Roberts/ #109[16]	
	dea:		deceased
M	bir:	19 Feb 1805	child
8	Name:	Susannah **Roberts** #110[17]	
F	bir:	23 Jun 1807	child in SC
X	mar:	BEF 1829	bride in Bedford Co., TN
	to:	John C. **Morton** Sr. #216	
	bur:	1891	interred in Bedford Co., TN
	dea:	30 Sep 1891	deceased
9	Name:	Sarah L. **Roberts** #111[21]	
	dea:		deceased
F	bir:	18 Feb 1810	child
10	Name:	Rachael **Roberts** #112[22]	
F	bir:	7 Mar 1812	child in GA
X	mar:	20 Jun 1833	bride in Bedford Co., TN
	to:	John C. **Gilbert** Sr. #211	
	dea:	1 Aug 1898	deceased
11	Name:	Artamecy **Roberts** #113[26]	
F	bir:	18 Oct 1814	child
	dea:	3 Apr 1882	deceased
12	Name:	Lucretia **Roberts** #114[28]	
F	bir:	7 Oct 1820	child in prob. Bedford Co, TN
X	mar:	CA 1839	bride
	to:	D.a. 'doc' **Gilbert** #212	
	dea:	24 Mar 1893	deceased
	bur:	1893	interred in Lincoln Co., TN

Notes and References

All family births from Bible.

Roberts - Smith Line

1. Said to have 16 chn.; poss. John b 1827 & Ailcy b 1829 in Bible are their children.
2. Named as sib & heir of John Smith, Jr. 27 Nov 1816 Bedford Co.. deed.
3. Fr. Bessie Morton Spencer & John A. Foster. Place birth fr. 1850 census.
4. Smith-Roberts-Gi lbert Bible, 1792-1898, Patricia Ann West,.
5. 5 sons listed in 21 Aug 1868 The Republican; chancery suit in BedfordCo.
6. Guess based on 1st Ingland birth in Bible, Sarah Ingland b 22 July 1813.
7. Smith-Roberts-Gi lbert Bible, 1792-1898, Patricia Ann West,.
8. Her 6 chn are listed 21 Aug 1868, The Republican, re: chancery ct. suit.
9. PATSY: NOTE: Add documentation from J.A. Foster's FGS to txt file..
10. Smith-Roberts-Gi lbert Bible, 1792-1898, Patricia Ann West,.
11. Smith-Roberts-Gi lbert Bible, 1792-1898, Patricia Ann West,.
12. Smith-Roberts-Gi lbert Bible, 1792-1898, Patricia Ann West,.
13. Smith-Roberts-Gi lbert Bible, 1792-1898, Patricia Ann West,.
14. Place from 1850 census..
15. Information from Bessis Morton Spencer..
16. Smith-Roberts-Gi lbert Bible, 1792-1898, Patricia Ann West,.
17. Morton-Gilbert Bible, 1829-1919, Lucian Winfred West Jr., ,; and Smith-Roberts-Gi lbert Bible, 1792-1898, Patricia Ann West,.
18. Place of birth from 1850 census..
19. Richmond Cemetery.
20. Both Bibles list death..
21. Smith-Roberts-Gi lbert Bible, 1792-1898, Patricia Ann West,.
22. Smith-Roberts-Gi lbert Bible, 1792-1898, Patricia Ann West, ,; and Morton-Gilbert Bible, 1829-1919, Lucian Winfred West Jr.,.
23. 1850 census says b. GA; Check census thru 1890 for confirmation..
24. Announcement in Nashville Banner & Daily Advertiser in Marsh.
25. Both Bibles list death..
26. Smith-Roberts-Gi lbert Bible, 1792-1898, Patricia Ann West, ,; and Morton-Gilbert Bible, 1829-1919, Lucian Winfred West Jr.,.
27. Both Bibles list death..
28. Smith-Roberts-Gi lbert Bible, 1792-1898, Patricia Ann West,.
29. 1850 census says b. Tennessee..
30. Gilbert Cemetery.

Smith - Simpson (?) line

HUSBAND: John **Smith** Sr. #191
bur: interred in Bedford Co, TN
bir[1]: 23 Jan 1752 child in Virginia
mar[2]: Jan 1772 groom
dea[3]: 12 Jan 1816 deceased in Bedford Co., TN
Father: William **Smith** Sr. #316
Mother: Jean _____ (m. William Smith,sr.) #326

WIFE: Elizabeth **Simpson** #192
bir: CA 1750 child
mar[4]: Jan 1772 bride
dea: 2 Mar 1816 deceased
Father: John **Simpson** #310
Mother: Elizabeth **??? M Simpson** #311

CHILDREN X indicates ancestor of preparer

1 M
Name: William **Smith** #336
bir: 3 Oct 1772 child
dea: 15 Feb 1794 deceased

2 X F
Name: Sarah **Smith** #102
dea: deceased in Bedford Co., TN
bur: interred in Bedford Co., TN
bir: 16 Nov 1774 child in North Carolina
mar: BEF 1792 bride
to: John **Roberts** Sr. #101

3 F
Name: Rachel **Smith** #337
dea: deceased
bir: 19 Nov 1776 child
mar: CA 1796 bride
to: Capt. Lewis **Medlin** #338

4 M
Name: John **Smith** Jr. (bachelor) #339[9]
bir: 3 Mar 1779 child
dea: 3 Mar 1816 deceased in Bedford Co., TN

5 M
Name: Reuben Resin **Rezin** Smith/ #340
bir: 5 Mar 1781 child in NC
mar: 18 Aug 1805 groom
to: Amelia **Medlin** #341
dea: 6 Jan 1851 deceased

6
Name: Nancy **Smith** #342
mar: bride

	to:	_____ **Ingle** #343	
F	bir:	17 Feb 1783	child
	dea:	CA 1825	deceased
7	Name:	Mary **Smith** (not Direct Ancestor) #344	
	dea:		deceased
	mar:		bride
	to:	Robert **Medlin** #345	
F	bir:	28 Oct 1785	child
8	Name:	Elizabeth **Smith** (not Direct Ancestor) #346	
	dea:		deceased
	mar:		bride
	to:	Hugh **Brown** #347	
F	bir:	27 Jul 1788	child in Pendleton Dist., SC
	mar:	AFT 1814	bride
	to:	Joseph **Wallace** #365	
9	Name:	Ruth **Smith** #348	
	bur:		interred in Pioneer Rest Cem, etery, TX
F	bir:	22 Sep 1791	child in Pendleton Dist., SC
	mar:	CA 1808	bride in Pendleton Dist., SC
	to:	William **Brown** #349	
	dea:	31 Dec 1883	deceased in Fort Worth, Tarrant Co., TX

Notes and References

Smith - Simpson (?) line

1. Deed Book C, p. 556, Bedford Co., 6 Nov 1810; He from Pendleton Co., SC.Inf.Info.
2. Carolyn Ericson fr. Rezin Smith Bible.
3. Info. from Bessie Morton Spencer; John A. Foster says d. 12 Jan 1816.
4. Carolyn Ericson fr. Rezin Smith Bible.
5. Info. from John A. Foster, 1992.
6. Named as sib & heir of John Smith, Jr. 27 Nov 1816 Bedford Co.. deed.
7. Fr. Bessie Morton Spencer & John A. Foster. Place birth fr. 1850 census.
8. John A. Foster, 1992. Named as heir to bro. John in 27 Nov 1816 deed..
9. Book G, 27 Nov 1816, p. 377, Bedford Co., & 6 Nov 1830 Ct. Rec., Bedford+<F.
10. John A. Foster, 1992.
11. His mother died 3 days after he did. Two deeds list most of his sibs..
12. John A. Foster, 1992 fr. Rezin Smith Bible. Place born from 1850 census.
13. John A. Foster, 1992.
14. 6 Nov 1830, Bedford Co., TN, conveyed land to 7 chn. of Nancy Ingle, #6.
15. At least 3 Ingle chn: Resin, Salley, Lucretia (m Mark Hatley)..
16. Her 7 chn listed in 6 Nov 1830 Bedford Co. deed fr. bro. Rezin Smith.
17. John A. Foster, 1992; Named heir to bro. John in 27 Nov 1816 deed..
18. John A. Foster, 1992.
19. All information about her from John A. Foster, 1992.
20. Carolyn Ericson.
21. Named as heir to bro. John in 27 Nov 1816, Bedford Co., TN deed..

Ref.
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obscurity of the Revolution in 1790; in 1791 Jacob King was pastor and continued to serve the church throughout the period under discussion, with the help of Rev. Jesse Owen after 1794. Enoree Church entered Bethel Association in 1792, and its reported membership shows considerable variation.[33]

Statistics of Enoree Church, 1790-1803.[1]

Year	Ministers	Other messengers to association	Baptized	Recd. by letter	Dismissed	Excluded	Dead	Total members
1790			....	....	....	....	....	76
1791	Jacob King		....	....	....	....	....	78
1792	" "	Edward Kelly	....	....	....	....	....	80
1793		Charles Coats	....	....	....	....	....	....
		Edmund Gains	2	1	....	1	1	80
1794	Jacob King	" "	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Jesse Owen		....	2	....	1	....	81
1795		Barberry Hancock	2	2	7	2	5	71
1796	Jacob King	" "	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Jesse Owen	Edmund Kelly (L)	....	3	....	....	4	70
1797	" "	" " (L)	....	3	3	2	....	38
	Jacob King		....	....	....	....	....	....
1798	" "	James Chandler	....	....	....	....	....	....
		Barberry Hancock	....	....	2	1	1	34
1799	" "	Thomas Coats	2	1	....	1	....	36
	Jesse Owen		....	....	....	....	....	....
1800	" "	John Clarke	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Jacob King		1	....	....	1	....	36
1801			....	....	....	....	....	....
1802	" "	Thomas Coats	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Jesse Owen	Barberry Hancock	2	1	....	3	....	52
1803	" "	John Clarke	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Jacob King		15	4	1	2	....	72

[1]1790 and 1791 from *Asplund's Register*, 5. ed.; all other years from *Bethel Association Minutes.*

Tyger River Church (Friendship), which is said to have had its first meeting place about sixteen miles southeast of Spartanburg, and which claims 1765 as its date of constitution, was so near to Fairforest as to indicate a connection in their early history. It was probably one of the main meeting places of Fairforest, and Thacker Vivian or one of the other assistants

[33]*Ibid.*, 1792-1803; *Asplund's Reg.*, 5. ed.; O'Neall and Chapman, *Newberry*, p. 690; Jacob King had a survey of 145 acres in 1785 on a small branch of Gilders Creek and one of 115 acres in 1792 on Patersons Creek of Enoree River (Plats IIIq, 354, XXXIq, 30); he was living in 1790 in Newberry County with three male and four female members of his family and with six slaves (*Census*, p. 79); licensed to preach at Lower Duncans Creek Church in 1790, he was ordained in 1791 and thereafter served as pastor of Enoree Church; *Asplund's Reg.*, 2., 5., and 6. ed.; *Bethel Assoc. Min.*, 1794, 1796-1802; Jesse Owen was excommunicated for adultery by Enoree Church in 1805 (*ibid.*, 1805).

FAMILY GROUP No. _____ Husband's Full Name John Roberts

This Information Obtained From: Smith - Roberts - Gilbert Bible. Transcribed by Alice Kirkland West Chambers & Patricia Ann West.

John Roberts may be son of Jacob Roberts (b. 1806 Laurens Co. SC) & marr. Sarah Smith

Husband's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth	1765			VA	
Chr'nd					
Mar.					
Death	aft 1860		Bedford	TN	age 92 on 1860 census
Burial					

Places of Residence

Occupation | Church Affiliation | Military Rec.

Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

His Father | Mother's Maiden Name

Wife's Full Maiden Name Sarah Smith

Wife's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth	1774			NC	
Chr'nd					
Death	aft 1850		Bedford	TN	age 74 on 1850 census
Burial					

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Occupation if other than Housewife | Church Affiliation

Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

Her Father John "Jack" Smith? Mother's Maiden Name Elizabeth Simpson?

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
1	Elizabeth Roberts	Birth	26 Jul 1792				
	Full Name of Spouse* John England	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
2	Mary Roberts	Birth	11 Oct 1794				
	Full Name of Spouse* Samuel Moore	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
3	William Roberts	Birth	19 Oct 1796				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
4	John Roberts	Birth	25 Dec 1798				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
5	Justen Roberts	Birth	29 Nov 1800				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
6	Nancy Roberts	Birth	23 Dec 1802				
	Full Name of Spouse* James Littleton Foster	Mar.	Nov 1820				
		Death					
		Burial					
7	Reason (Rezin) Roberts	Birth	19 Feb 1805				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
8	Susannah Roberts	Birth	23 Jun 1807				
	Full Name of Spouse* John C. Morton	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
9	Sarah L. Roberts	Birth	18 Feb 1810				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
10	Rachel Roberts	Birth	7 Mar 1812				
	Full Name of Spouse* John C. Gilbert	Mar.	20 Jun 1833		Bedford	TN	
		Death	2 Aug 1898				
		Burial					

*If married more than once, give No. each mar. (1) (2) etc. and list in "Add. info. on children" column. Use reverse side for additional children, other notes, references or information.

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FAMILY GROUP No. _____ Husband's Full Name John Roberts

This Information Obtained From:

Husband's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth					
Chr'nd					
Mar.					
Death					
Burial					

Places of Residence

Occupation Church Affiliation Military Rec.

Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

His Father Mother's Maiden Name

Wife's Full Maiden Name Sarah Smith

Wife's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth					
Chr'nd					
Death					
Burial					

Places of Residence

Occupation if other than Housewife Church Affiliation

Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

Her Father Mother's Maiden Name

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Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
1	Artemsia Gilbert	Birth	13 Oct 1814				
	Full Name of Spouse* Unmarried	Mar.					
		Death	3 Apr 1882				
		Burial					
2	Lucretia Roberts	Birth	7 Oct 1820				
	Full Name of Spouse* D. A. Gilbert	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
3		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
4		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
5		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
6		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
7		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
8		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
9		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
10		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					

*If married more than once, No. each mar. (1) (2) etc. and list in "Add. info. on children" column. Use reverse side for additional children, other notes, references or information.

FAMILY GROUP No. _____ Husband's Full Name William Gilbert

This Information Obtained From: Laurens Co. SC Will Bk. A p. 23 Will of Wm. Gilbert, Recorded 21 Mar 1843.

Married Cassy Roberts d/o Jacob Roberts bef 1806. Cassy dead by 1806. Jacob Roberts named Melinda & Lucinda in his Will

Husband's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth					
Chr'nd					
Mar.					
Death	1843	Laurens		SC	
Burial					

Places of Residence

Occupation | Church Affiliation | Military Rec.

Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

His Father | Mother's Maiden Name

Wife's Full Maiden Name

Wife's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth					
Chr'nd					
Death					
Burial					

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Places of Residence

Occupation if other than Housewife | Church Affiliation

Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

Her Father | Mother's Maiden Name

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
1	William H. Gilbert (Full Name of Spouse*)	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
2	Matilda Gilbert Austin (Full Name of Spouse*)	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
3	Lucinda Gilbert Akins (Full Name of Spouse*)	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
4	Nancy Gilbert Cooper (Full Name of Spouse*)	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
5	Edward Gilbert (Full Name of Spouse*)	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
6	(Full Name of Spouse*)	Birth		* Children not in order, may be by several marriages			
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
7	(Full Name of Spouse*)	Birth		* Don't know who this William belongs to.			
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
8	(Full Name of Spouse*)	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
9	(Full Name of Spouse*)	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
10	(Full Name of Spouse*)	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					

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J4723 Velma Mae Thursby, m: 3 Mar 1944 McAllen TX Fred Allen Smith, b: 2 Aug 1907 Ballinger TX, d: 26 Aug 1975 Harlingen TX, bur: Memorial Gardens Mission TX, son of Sarah Helen Canafax and James Riley Smith
J47231 Paul Dale, b: 10 Aug 1945 San Antonio TX nfi

J48 Alpha A. Bourland, m: 16 Sep 1868 Morgan Co IL Logan W. Six, b: 1848 Scott Co IL, d: after 1874, son of Jane Crabtree and William Six
J481 Charles nfi
J482 Minnie, b: 1871-72 Scott Co IL, m: 17 Oct 1896 Morgan Co IL Burt O. Wells, son of Julia Eastman and Henry Wells nfi
J483 William M., b: 30 Aug 1874 Scott Co IL, m: 4 Jul 1895 Waverly IL Sarah A. Dougherty, b: 1877 KS, dau of Virginia Evans and John Dougherty nfi
J484 Lillie, b: 30 Aug 1874 Scott Co IL (twins), d: 18 Oct 1904 Franklin IL nfi

J6 Elizabeth Bourland, m: 16 Aug 1825 Calloway Co KY Francis H. Clayton, b: 1803 KY
J61 Ira C., b: 1834 KY, d: 1878, m: Nancy Overitt, b: 1834 Marshall Co KY, d: 1866 IL
J611 Ellen, b: 1860 IL, d: 1930 MO, m: Francis M. Buckner, b: 1856, d: 1922
J6111 Carrie Dora, b: 1885 Henry Co MO, d: 1936 Henry Co MO, m: fnu Miller
J61111 Keith A. Miller nfi (efforts to reach Keith Miller in Lowry City MO were to no avail)

J8 Samuel U. Bourland, m: 21 Jan 1830 Calloway Co KY Lucinda Wright
J81 Dennis T., b: 1853 MO nfi
There were five children in this family and it is thought that Dennis was the fifth-born.

The census of 1840 Calloway Co KY listed Samuel U. Bourland with 3 sons and 2 daughters. A land sale recorded in Marshall Co KY 12 Mar 1843 may have been in preparation for the move to Missouri. Sam Bourland was on the 1880 census St Francois Co MO, with son, Dennis T., age 27, born in MO. Sam was listed as 70 years old in 1880.

(Information about Elizabeth Bourland and Francis Clayton was provided by Helen Mattox Crawford of Hamilton MS)

CHAPTER TEN

Unlocated Bourlands

These unidentified groupings are presented for the benefit of those who will pick up this book and continue the research.

The letters are assigned merely as a temporary means of keeping the various groups separate. They have no other meaning. Eventually, it may develop that some of these groups form a separate branch of the Bourland family that we have not known about heretofore. Others will fit into "D" (Rev. John), perhaps, or maybe into one of the other eight branches. There is no particular reason for listing group Z first and group UU last in this chapter. The order is purely arbitrary.

Z Sarah "Sallie" Bourland, b: abt 1784 to William Bourland and (?Mary Dean?), m: before 1805 to John Gilbert, b: 1774 NC, d: Jun 1842 Giles County TN
Z1 Ambrose Bourland, m: 20 Jul 1826 Sarah Wright nfi
Z2 John C., d: 1838, m: Rachel lnu nfi
Z3 Mary, m: 27 Jul 1826 George L. Lenard nfi
Z4 name unk, m: John C. McNatt nfi
Z5 Washington Alexander, b: 28 Sep 1814
Z6 unk, m: Malcolm McNatt nfi
Z7 Addison "Doc", b: 1821 NC, d: 19 Feb 1902, m: Lucretia Roberts, b: 1820, d: 1893 nfi (said to have had ten children)
Z8 Caroline Melinda, m: 20 Jan 1841 Samuel T. Nix nfi

Z5 Washington Alexander Gilbert, m: 13 Jan 1842 Rogersville AL Sarah Elizabeth Oliver, b: 2 Feb 1823 Madison Co AL, d: 22 Oct 1878 Tuscumbia AL, dau of Sarah Howard and William Oliver
Z51 William Bourland, b: 30 Jan 1843, d: 15 Dec 1844 AL
Z52 James Washington, b: 9 Jul 1845, d: 19 Jan 1926
Z53 Albert Alexander, b: 28 Sep 1847, d: 3 Nov 1874 (served in Civil War) nfi
Z54 Adiniram Judson, b: 8 Dec 1849, d: 2 Apr 1926, m: Alice Haley nfi
Z55 Joseph Eaton, b: 25 Dec 1854, d: 13 Jul 1943 Dallas TX, bur: AL
Z56 Henry Clay, b: 13 Dec 1857 Moulton AL, d: 21 Feb 1944 Florence AL
Z57 Daniel Webster, b: 13 Dec 1857 (twins), d: 30 Jun 1947 Dublin GA

Z52 Dr. James Washington Gilbert, m: (1) Laura Harris nfi; (2) Naomi Harris (sister of Laura), d: 1 Jan 1880
Z521 Minnie, m: H.B. Cobb nfi
Z522 Edward, m: fnu McPherson nfi
Z523 Thomas nfi
Dr. James W., m: (3) Ella Anthony
Z524 Cecile, b: 1884, d: 1962
Z525 James A. nfi
Z526 Grace, m: Rev. Pickerill nfi
Dr. James Washington Gilbert served in Civil War.

Z524 Cecile Gilbert, m: Gilbert Clark
Z5241 Emma Erwin, m: fnu Lumpkin nfi

Z55 Judge Joseph Eaton Gilbert, m: Margaret Warren, b: 15 Feb 1856 Tuscumbia AL, d: 6 Mar 1937 Dallas TX, dau of Mary Louisa Slass and Mervyn Warren
Z551 Louise, b: 20 Feb 1883 Greenville TX, d: 9 Apr 1969 Dallas TX, m: 14 Jun 1906 Dallas TX Dr. David Saunders Harris, Jr., b: 10 Apr 1879 Fayette Co KY, d: 1954 Dallas TX
Z5511 Margaret Eugenia, b: 22 May 1910 Dallas TX, d: 2 Jun 1971 Dallas TX
Z5512 Florence Maurice, b: 1 Aug 1913 Dallas TX

Z5511 Margaret Eugenia Harris, m: 19 Oct 1932 William Howard Weddington
Z55111 Peggy Ann nfi
Z55112 Barbara Eugenia nfi

Z5512 Florence Maurice Harris, m: 25 Oct 1933 Dallas TX Richard Lively Hughston, b: 14 Mar 1905 Collin Co TX, son of Mary Emma Lively and Archibald P. Hughston
Z55121 Sarah Louise, b: 6 Jun 1937 Dallas TX
Z55122 Nancy Josephine, b: 23 Aug 1939 Dallas TX
Z55123 Mary Maurice, b: 26 Nov 1945 Houston TX
Z55124 Harriett Olivia, b: 28 May 1953 Midland TX nfi

Z55121 Sarah Louise Hughston, m: 2 Nov 1963 Charles Farmer Rogers, b: 10 Aug 1939
Z551211 Richard Charles, b: 9 Oct 1967 Dallas TX
Z551212 John Hughston, b: 4 Apr 1969 Dallas TX
Z551213 James Alexander, b: 26 Jan 1976 Dallas TX

Z55122 Nancy Josephine Hughston, m: 3 Sep 1960 Edwin Eldridge Watts, b: 2 Jun 1937, son of Madge Connor and Cecil L. Watts
Z551221 David Edwin, b: 6 Apr 1963 Gray Co TX
Z551222 Daniel Hughston, b: 16 Nov 1965 Gray Co TX

Z55123 Mary Maurice Hughston, m: 19 Feb 1966 Bennie Creel Smith, Jr., b: 27 May 1945
Z551231 Mauri Lynn, b: 29 Dec 1966
Z551232 Bennie Creel, III, b: 3 May 1971
Z551233 Todd Hughston, b: 21 Jun 1972

Z56 Henry Clay Gilbert, m: 13 Dec 1883 Tuscumbia AL Lucy Harper Pride, b: 1 Jul 1857 Franklin Co AL, d: 2 Jan 1938 Florence AL
Z561 Herman Harper, b: 27 Oct 1884, d: 9 Nov 1893
Z562 Sarah Pride, b: 30 Apr 1887 Tuscumbia AL, d: 16 Nov 1974 AL
Z563 James Barrett, b: 30 Sep 1889 Decatur AL, d: 22 Nov 1969 Florence AL
Z564 Henry Morgan, b: 22 Nov 1895 Florence AL, d: 26 Nov 1964 Barton AL, m: Eva Orr nfi
Z565 Lucy Harper, b: 17 Dec 1899 Florence AL

Z562 Sarah Pride Gilbert, m: 7 Jun 1916 Moses Douglas Ingram, b: 5 Feb 1886 Lauderdale Co AL, d: 3 Feb 1967 Sheffield AL
Z5621 Lucy Gilbert, b: 11 Aug 1929 Florence AL, m: 31 Jul 1954 Joseph M. Ware, b: 4 Apr 1931 Tuscumbia AL
Z56211 Sarah Lee, b: 15 Feb 1956 Verdun France
Z56212 Susan Douglas, b: 9 Feb 1959 Florence AL
Z56213 Virginia Pride, b: 6 May 1961 Florence AL
Z56214 Joseph Murray, Jr., b: 8 Mar 1963 Florence AL, d: 4 Jun 1971 Birmingham AL

Z563 James Barrett Gilbert, m: (1) 22 Nov 1922 Lee Co AR Lucile Taylor, b: 14 Dec 1895, d: 3 Apr 1942 Florence AL, dau of Belle Foreman and Charles Wistar Taylor
Z5631 Lucile Taylor, b: 1 Sep 1925 Florence AL, m: 22 Dec 1945 Chicago IL John M. Matthews, b: 22 Jun 1921, son of Maud Estelle Gilchrist and Archie H.E. Matthews
Z56311 Barrett Gibbs, b: 26 Sep 1951 Houston TX nfi
Z56312 John Taylor, b: 5 May 1955 Corpus Christi TX nfi
James Barrett, m: (2) 1943 Armene Gilchrist Sholars; (3) 1952 Martha E. Ashcraft Dabney; (4) Mary E. Ashcraft Moore -- apparently no ch by any of last three wives.

Z565 Lucy Harper Gilbert, m: 20 Apr 1926 Roy Allen Wagstaff
Z5651 James Allen, m: Elizabeth Barr
Z56511 James Allen, Jr. nfi
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Z56511 James Allen, Jr. nfi
Z56512 Howard Roper Barr nfi
Z56513 Elizabeth Pride nfi

Z57 Daniel Webster Gilbert, m: 27 Dec 1904 Jeffersonville GA Lucy Carleton Chapman, dau of Mary Ellen Carleton and John Chapman
Z571 George Carleton, b: 11 Jul 1906 Dublin GA
Z572 Albert Oliver, b: 8 Mar 1908 Dublin GA, d: 9 Aug 1943 Dublin GA nfi
Z573 Orlene, b: 13 Nov 1910 Dublin GA nfi
Z574 John Chapman, b: 17 Jul 1916 Dublin GA

Z571 George Carleton Gilbert, m: 26 Nov 1932 Wooster OH La Opal Zaugg, dau of Julia M. and Rev. Frederick S. Zaugg
Z5711 Julia Dawn, b: 8 Jun 1934 Cleveland OH
Z5712 Bruce Carleton, b: 28 Jul 1938 Cleveland OH

Z5711 Julia Dawn Gilbert, m: 26 Apr 1958 Fairview Park OH John Charles Reilly, b: 9 Jul 1932 Chicago IL, son of Alice Julia Mae Miller and Joseph Francis Reilly
Z57111 Preston Scott, b: 6 Jan 1960 Cleveland OH
Z57112 Alan Joseph, b: 18 Mar 1962 Cleveland OH
Z57113 Brian Carleton, b: 28 Oct 1966 Cleveland OH

Z5712 Bruce Carleton Gilbert, m: 10 Sep 1960 Fairview OH Lynda Sue Reed, b: 3 Jul 1940 Peoria IL, dau of Pearl Flora Campbell and George Marcotte Reed
Z57121 Jennifer Sue, b: 26 Feb 1964 Corning NY
Z57122 Sandra Dawn, b: 13 Mar 1966 Corning NY
Z57123 Mark Carleton, b: 1 Aug 1970 Cleveland OH

Z574 John Chapman Gilbert, m: Cathelis Huggins, b: 18 Sep 1917 Johnsonville SC
Z5741 Carleton Orin, b: 3 Jun 1957 Dublin GA nfi

An excellent beginning has been made with the facts presented about descendants of Sarah "Sallie" Bourland, daughter of one William Bourland who was born, probably, prior to 1764.

Those wishing to pursue the search are well advised to read CHRONICLES OF THE SCOTCH-IRISH SETTLEMENT IN VIRGINIA, published in 1912, written by Mary S. Lockwood. This work, in three volumes, contains many extracts of court records of Augusta and Bath Counties and shows that many Bourlands were living there when Augusta County was formed in 1745.

* In connection with the above-mentioned William Bourland, a close look should be taken at a reference on page 245, (Vol II): "Bourland vs. Dean - O. S. 342; N. S. 124, Bill, August 1812, by William Bourland and Wife, Mary..." This bill for settlement of the estate of the late John Dean lists his heirs: wife Agness, son, William Dean, and daughters, Elizabeth, Elzse, Sarah, Jane, Nancy, Margaret, and Molly "Borland" (probably Mary Dean Bourland.). It is reasonable to expect that Mary "Molly" may have named one of her daughters Sarah, in honor of her sister. A tenuous clue, admittedly, but such is the game of genealogy. In this same Bill is mention of Andrew Bourland, who owned property adjoining that of the late John Dean in Bath County. The will of John Dean was dated 7 Aug 1790 and was recorded at Bath in April 1807. He died 20 November, but the exact year is not made clear...either 1810 or 1811, at the age of "nearly 90." John Dean could very well have had a granddaughter, Sarah "Sallie" Bourland, who married John Gilbert about 1805.

(Materials presented about descendants of Sarah Bourland and John Gilbert were submitted by:

Florence Maurice Harris Hughston, Midland TX
Emma Irwin "Win" Lumpkin, Dallas TX
Lucy Gilbert Ingram Ware, Tuscumbia AL
Mr and Mrs John M. Matthews, Corpus Christi TX
Mrs Elizabeth Barr Wagstaff, Birmingham AL
Mr George Carleton Gilbert, Cleveland OH)

FAMILY GROUP No. _____ Husband's Full Name Phillip Alston

This Information Obtained From: Mississippi IGI Batch # F503816

Husband's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth					
Chr'nd					
Mar.	1762				
Death					
Burial					

Places of Residence

Occupation Church Affiliation Military Rec.

Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

His Father Mother's Maiden Name

Wife's Full Maiden Name Mildred McCoy

Wife's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth					
Chr'nd					
Death					
Burial					

Places of Residence

Occupation if other than Housewife Church Affiliation

Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

Her Father Mother's Maiden Name

Compiler Melanie Nolan

Address

City, State

Date

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Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
1	John McCoy Alston	Birth	Abt 1763				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
2	Phillip Alston	Birth	Abt 1764				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
3	Peter Alston	Birth	1765				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
4	Franky Frances Alston	Birth	1766				
	Full Name of Spouse* James Drongole	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
5	Elizabeth E. Alston	Birth	Abt 1768				
	Full Name of Spouse* 1. John Bilbert 2. Edmund Duggan	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
6		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
7		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
8		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
9		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
10		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					

*If married more than once, give each mar. (1) (2) etc. and list in "Add. info. on children" column. Use reverse side for additional children, other notes, references or information.

FAMILY GROUP No. _____ Husband's Full Name John Gilbert

This Information Obtained From: Jo Ann McCreary, 1143 Montiello Dr., Granbury TX 76048; LDS Ancestral File

Husband's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth					
Chr'nd					
Mar.	ca 1793			TN	
Death	1807		Jefferson	MS	
Burial					

Places of Residence

Occupation _____ Church Affiliation _____ Military Rec. _____

Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

His Father William Gilbert Mother's Maiden Name Sarah McCandless

Wife's Full Maiden Name Elizabeth Elise Alston *

Wife's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth	ca 1777				
Chr'nd					
Death	ca 1827				
Burial					

Compiler Melanie Nolan

Address

City, State

Date May 1994

Places of Residence

Occupation if other than Housewife _____ Church Affiliation _____

Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar. (2) Edmund Duggan 31 Jul 1813 Claiborne Co. MS

Her Father Phillip Alston Mother's Maiden Name Mary McCoy

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
1	Frances Gilbert	Birth	15 Nov 1794			TN	10 child.
	Full Name of Spouse* James Steen Montgomery	Mar.	7 Jun 1814				
		Death	28 Mar 1872	Eagle Lake		TX	
		Burial					
2	Sally Gilbert	Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
3	(Millie) Mildred Gilbert	Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
4	Phillip Alston Gilbert	Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
5	William G. Gilbert	Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
6	John Gilbert	Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
7	Elizabeth Gilbert	Birth	1803/1805				One Child
	Full Name of Spouse* Benj. Fulton Stockton	Mar.	15 Sep 1831		Claiborne	MS	Ann Eliz.
		Death	1840			MS	
		Burial					
8		Birth		* 2nd marriage of Eliz. Elsie lasted less than 10 yrs. Two children: Thomas Hinis Duggan and Maria Louise Duggan			
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
9		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
10		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					

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HUSBAND: Edmund DUGGAN (AFN:969J-R9)

BORN: 1789 PLACE: , Edgecombe, NC
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1837 PLACE: , , TX
BUR.: PLACE:
MAR.: Bef 31 Jul 1813 PLACE:

LDS ORDINANCE DATA
B: SUBMITTED
E: SUBMITTED
SP: SUBMITTED
SS: Submitted

FATHER: William DUGGAN (AFN:969J-N9)
MOTHER: Chloe Ann HYMAN (AFN:969J-F3)
OTHER WIVES: Elizabeth Alston GILBERT (AFN:969K-15)

WIFE: Elizabeth Elsie (Gilbert) ALSTON (AFN:GM7J-MO)

BORN: 1790 PLACE: , , GA
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1827 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:

B: Submitted
E: Submitted
SP:

FATHER: Philip ALSTON (AFN:R6VC-X7)
MOTHER: Mildred MCCOY (AFN:R6VC-ZD)
OTHER HUSBANDS: John GILBERT (AFN:QKFD-4L)

Sex CHILDREN

1. NAME: Thomas Hinds DUGGAN (AFN:GM7J-N5)
---- BORN: 20 Apr 1815 PLACE: , Jefferson, MS
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 26 Dec 1865 PLACE: Seguin, , TX
BUR.: PLACE: Geronimo Cem, Sequin, TX
SPOUSE: Elizabeth BERRY (AFN:QKFC-WF)
MAR.: 20 May 1834 PLACE: , Claibourne, MS

B: Submitted
E: Submitted
SP: Submitted
SS: Submitted

2. NAME: Maria Louise DUGGAN (AFN:GM7J-PB)
---- BORN: 4 Jun 1818 PLACE: , , GA
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1872 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE: San Geronimo Cem., Seguin, TX
SPOUSE: Henry TERRELL (AFN:R6VD-RH)
MAR.: 26 Apr 1836 PLACE: Jefferson County, MS

B: Submitted
E: Submitted
SP: Submitted
SS:

3. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MAR.: PLACE:

B:
E:
SP:
SS:

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MAR.: PLACE:

B:
E:
SP:
SS:

Codes: AFN=Ancestral File Number B=Baptized E=Endowed SS=Sealed to Spouse SP=Sealed to Parents

NEW BOOK

Snyder Roberts' book, ROOTS OF ROANE COUNTY, TENNESSEE, is now "off the press". Copies may be purchased from Ferd Stroupe, 618 W. Outer Dr., Oak Ridge, TN 37830 or from Mrs. Charles Laymance, 529 Norwood Dr., Oliver Springs, TN 37840. Cost - $10. Mr. Roberts is a resident of Oliver Springs.

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WELCOME, NEW MEMBERS

James C. and Peggy Tumblin, 3604 Kesterwood, Knoxville, TN 37911. Researching the surnames Rumbley, Conner, Carney and Shaffer. Joining us in 1982 will be Robert Manning, 102 Lakeview, Clinton, TN 37716. Surnames: Manning, Holloway, Kings, Raby and Brimer.

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NOTICED A LIST OF ROANE CO. MARRIAGE BONDS (1801-1826) in the summer 1981 issue of The Ansearchin' News Genealogy Society publication (Memphis) in our library.

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OLD NAMING PATTERNS

First son named after father's father
Second son after mother's father
Third son after the father
Fourth son after father's oldest brother

First daughter named after mother's mother
Second daughter after father's mother
Third daughter after mother
Fourth daughter after mother's oldest sister

(From the Journal of the KanawhaValley Genealogy Society)

Have you noticed in your research that the names of "Polly" and "Mary" are often interchangeable? And that the English usually supplied their offspring with three given names?

In Czechoslovakia, the feminine ending of a surname would be "ova". Thus, the daughter of Mr. Ivan would be Ivanova. In Poland, the feminine ending will be "a" and the masculine an "i".

PALATINATE RESEARCH CENTER

If you are searching for data on your German ancestors, especially about persons who came to America before the American Revolution, write to the Heimatstelle Pfalz, Benzinoring 6, D-6750 Kaiserslautern, West Germany. No fees are charged for the searching, but they do ask that you enclose International Postal Coupons to cover the cost of postage.
(From the Tri-State Trader, Nov. 1981)

PENNSYLVANIA CHURCH RECORDS

Pastor Paul M. Ruff, R.D. 3, Aliquippa, PA 15001, a former director of the Western PA Genealogical Society, is now locating, cataloging and publishing all known holding of PA German church records. He may be contacted for compilations that have already been translated. (Reformed and Lutheran)

HUSBAND John GILBERT-205

BORN: Abt 1778/1784 PLACE: ,Tyron,NC
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1841 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: Abt 1803 PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE

BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Ambrose B. GILBERT Rev.-206
M BORN: Abt 1800/1810 PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: Aug 1849 PLACE: ,Tishomingo,MS
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Mary Sarah WRIGHT-213 MRIN: 74
MARR: 20 Jul 1826 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN

2. NAME: Mary GILBERT-207
F BORN: PLACE: Abt 1807
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: George L. LEONARD-219 MRIN: 82
MARR: 27 Jul 1826 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN

3. NAME: John C. GILBERT-208
M BORN: Abt 1810 PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1838 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Rachel ROBERTS-220 MRIN: 83
MARR: 20 Jun 1833 PLACE: ,Bedford Co.,TN

4. NAME: Washington Alexander GILBERT-209
M BORN: 28 Sep 1814 PLACE: ,,NC
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 30 Aug 1894 PLACE: Tuscumbia,Colbert,AL
BUR.: PLACE: Tuscumbia,Colbert,AL
SPOUSE: Sarah Elizabeth OLIVER-224 MRIN: 84
MARR: 13 Mar 1842 PLACE: ,Lauderdale,AL

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HUSBAND John GILBERT-205 Yr of Birth 1778
WIFE Yr of Birth

CHILDREN (continued)

5. NAME: Sarah R. GILBERT-13
---- BORN: 15 Aug 1816 PLACE: ,,NC
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 8 Aug 1859 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
BUR.: PLACE: Grammer Cemetery,Lawrence,MO
SPOUSE: John Caperton MCNATT-5 MRIN: 5
MARR: 30 Sep 1830 PLACE: ,Bedford,TN

6. NAME: Onea L. GILBERT-210
---- BORN: Abt 1819 PLACE: ,,NC
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Malcom G. MCNATT-75 MRIN: 102
MARR: PLACE:

7. NAME: Doctor Addison GILBERT-211
---- BORN: 6 Jan 1821 PLACE: ,,NC
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 19 Feb 1903 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
BUR.: PLACE: East of Bledsoe,Lincoln,TN
SPOUSE: Lucretia ROBERTS-232 MRIN: 86
MARR: Abt 1837 PLACE: ,,TN

8. NAME: Melinda Caroline GILBERT-212
---- BORN: Abt 1824 PLACE: ,,TN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Samuel NICKS-243 MRIN: 89
MARR: 20 Jan 1842 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN

HUSBAND John GILBERT-205 Yr of Birth 1778
WIFE Yr of Birth

HUSBAND - John GILBERT-205

Birth: "Biographical and Historical Memoirs of Mississippi", Genealogical Abstract of Biographical Section, Alphabetic Arrangement, A through Z, p. 219 states "John Gilbert, born ca 1784.

Death: "Gilbert Gallery", Vol. 1, Family Records of Mrs. Maurice Hughston of Midland, Texas (now deceased) and Vol. 12, Family Records of Mary Mack Tucker, 9594 FM 344-E, Tyler, Texas 75701-8802.

The identity of John Gilbert's wife, or wives, is unknown. Some say he was married to Caroline Barker (my Uncle Eldon McNatt), some say his wife was Sallie Bourland. A will for Jacob Roberts in Laurens Co., SC names one of his daughters as Sallie Gilbert and further settling of this estate indicates that her husband was John Gilbert. There is no solid proof that the John Gilbert who was in Laurens Co., SC from at least 1804 (the time of Jacob Roberts' will) until ca 1816, when he appears to be selling all of his land, perhaps readying for a move to other parts.

John Gilbert was a Baptist minister, and it does not appear that he bought land after leaving Laurens Co., SC. He may have lived in NC for a short time, but no record is found there. He was in Lincoln Co., TN by at least 1826, when two of his children, Ambrose B. and Mary, were married there.

(Ambrose)

~~Census records indicate that there are other children - at least one more son and 2 more daughters by 1840. Possibly others from 1840 to ca 1846 when Mary Sarah died. Do not believe that there were children by the second marriage.~~

WIFE -

CHILD 1 - Ambrose B. GILBERT Rev.-206

Relationship: "Gilbert Gallery", Vol. 1 - Records of Maurice Hughston of Midland, Texas (deceased) and Vol. 12 - Records of Mary Mack Tucker of Tyler, Texas.

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CHILD 2 - Mary GILBERT-207

Relationship: "Gilbert Gallery", Vol. 1 - family records of Maurice Hughston of Midland, Texas (deceased) and Vol. 12 - family records of Mary Mack Tucker of Tyler, Texas.

Birth: 1830 Lincoln Co., TN census - household of George L. Leonard shows a female 20 to 30 years of age.

Marriage: Lincoln Co., TN Marriage Records

CHILD 3 - John C. GILBERT-208

Relationship: "Gilbert Gallery" - Vols. 1 and 12, Family records of Maurice Hughston (deceased) and Mary Mack Tucker of Tyler, Texas.

Birth: FGS from P. West, 24 Willow Hill Ct., St. Louis, MO 63124

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HUSBAND John GILBERT-205 Yr of Birth 1778
WIFE Yr of Birth

Birth: "Biographical and Historical Memoirs of Mississippi" - in a biography of Dr. J.W. Gilbert: "...is a son of W.A. and Sarah E. (Oliver) Gilbert. The father was a native of South Carolina, born in 1814....."

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CHILD 5 - Sarah R. GILBERT-13

Relationship: Family records of Melanie McNatt Nolan.

Birth, Death and Marriage: Grammer Cemetery - 2 miles east of Marionville, Lawrence, MO - Sally R. McNatt, 15 Aug 1816, 13 Aug 1859, wife of John C.

Sally R. (Gilbert) McNatt came to Lawrence Co., MO in 1837 with her husband John Caperton McNatt and his father Levin McNatt and his brother Carr Smith McNatt.

CHILD 6 - Onea L. GILBERT-210

Relationship: "Gilbert Gallery", Vols. 1 and 12 - Family records of Maurice Hughston (deceased) and Mary Mack Tucker of Tyler, Texas.

Birth: 1850 Lawrence Co., MO census gives age as 30, birthplace NC.

Marriage: No place or date of marriage has been found.

Death: No place or date of death has been found.

Onea L. Gilbert married Malcolm G. McNatt, brother of John Caperton McNatt. They moved to Lawrence Co., MO ca 1837.

CHILD 7 - Doctor Addison GILBERT-211

Relationship: "Gilbert Gallery", Vols. 1 and 12 - Family records of Maurice Hughston (deceased) and Mary Mack Tucker of Tyler, Texas.

Birth and Death: "Cemetery Records of Lincoln-Moore Counties Tennessee" by Helen C. and Timothy R. Marsh, p. 8 - Gilbert Cemetery, 1/2 mile east of Bledsoe on south of Bledsoe-Chestnut Ridge Road. D.A. Gilbert, Jan. 6, 1821 - Feb. 19, 1903.

Marriage: No place or date of marriage has been found. It was probably ca

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1837, since birth of oldest child, Washington A., was in 1839.

Doctor Addison and Lucretia Gilbert lived in the neighborhood of the Baptist Church at Hannah's Gap. He is the only son of John Gilbert who remained in Lincoln Co., TN after the death of his father.

CHILD 8 - Melinda Caroline GILBERT-212

Relationship: "Gilbert Gallery", Vols. 1 and 12 - Family records of Maurice Hughston (deceased) and Mary Mack Tucker of Tyler Texas.

Birth: 1850 Bedford Co., TN census gives age 26, born in TN.

Marriage: Lincoln Co., TN Marriage Records.

Death: No place or date of death has been found.

Melinda Caroline and Samuel Nicks were living in Bedford Co., TN in 1850. They had 2 children: John Gilbert Nicks, age 6 and Sarah Nicks, age 4. Was unable to locate them on an 1860 census.

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HUSBAND Ambrose B. GILBERT Rev.-206

BORN: Abt 1800/1810 PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: Aug 1849 PLACE: ,Tishomingo,MS
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 20 Jul 1826 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
FATHER: John GILBERT-205 PARENTS' MRIN: 81
MOTHER:

WIFE Mary Sarah WRIGHT-213

BORN: Abt 1800/1810 PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: Bef 21 Mar 1847 PLACE: ,Lauderdale,AL
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: James W. GILBERT-214
---- BORN: 1827 PLACE: ,,KY
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1898 PLACE: ,Tishomingo,MS
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Elizabeth BENNETT-246 MRIN: 90
MARR: 16 Oct 1856 PLACE: ,Tishomingo,MS

2. NAME: Eliza Ann GILBERT-215
---- BORN: 26 May 1827 PLACE:
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 18 Aug 1849 PLACE: ,Alcorn,MS
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: William TAYLOR-247 MRIN: 91
MARR: 7 Dec 1841 PLACE: ,Lauderdale,AL

3. NAME: Hugh C. GILBERT-216
---- BORN: Abt 1833 PLACE: ,,TN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Senith A. DOUTHET-248 MRIN: 92
MARR: 31 Oct 1854 PLACE: ,Tishomingo,MS

4. NAME: Calvin GILBERT-260
---- BORN: Abt 1835 PLACE: ,,TN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Sarah WALLIS-266 MRIN: 95
MARR: 17 Aug 1854 PLACE: ,Tishomingo,MS

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WIFE Mary Sarah WRIGHT-213 Yr of Birth 1800

CHILDREN (continued)

5. NAME: Ambrose GILBERT-217
---- BORN: Abt 1840 PLACE: ,,TN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Nancy Ann-270 MRIN: 96
MARR: Abt 1869 PLACE:

6. NAME: John E. GILBERT-261
---- BORN: PLACE:
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Hortense P. ALLEN-274 MRIN: 97
MARR: 18 Dec 1860 PLACE: ,Tishomingo,MS

7. NAME: Ann E. GILBERT-262
---- BORN: PLACE:
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: E. U. BROCK-275 MRIN: 98
MARR: 24 Jan 1854 PLACE: ,Tishomingo,MS

8. NAME: Mary E. GILBERT-263
---- BORN: PLACE:
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: J. W. BINION-276 MRIN: 99
MARR: 30 Aug 1858 PLACE: ,Tishomingo,MS

9. NAME: Martha GILBERT-264
---- BORN: PLACE:
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: James C. WALLACE-277 MRIN: 100
MARR: 30 Dec 1858 PLACE: ,Tishomingo,MS

10. NAME: Sarah J. GILBERT-265
---- BORN: PLACE:
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Javis HENDERSON-278 MRIN: 101
MARR: 13 Jan 1859 PLACE: ,Tishomingo,MS

HUSBAND	Ambrose B. GILBERT Rev.-206	Yr of Birth 1800
WIFE	Mary Sarah WRIGHT-213	Yr of Birth 1800

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WIFE - Mary Sarah WRIGHT-213

CHILD 1 - James W. GILBERT-214

Relationship, Birth: James W. Gilbert is living in Tishomingo Co., MS in 1860. Also in the household was Ambrose Gilbert, age 20 (probably his brother). James W. Gilbert gave his age as 30 and said that he was born in KY. This is possible, because Ambrose B. Gilbert is found on the 1830 census in Calloway Co., KY. Also, in "Mississippi Confederate Grave Registrations, A-L" by Betty Couch Wiltshire, p. 136 - Gilbert, James W., 7th Al Cav., 1827-1898, MS, Tishomingo.

Marriage: Tishomingo Co., MS Marriage Books and Ministers Returns, 1842-1861.

Death: "Mississippi Confederate Grave Registrations, A-L" by Betty Couch Wiltshire, p. 136.

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CHILD 2 - Eliza Ann GILBERT-215

Relationship - Family records of Mary Mack Tucker of Tyler, Texas.

Marriage - Ambrose B. Bourland, M.G. performed the marriage of Eliza Ann Gilbert to William Taylor on 7 Dec 1843 in Lauderdale Co., AL, Marriage Bk. 5, p. 181.

Death - Family records of Mary Mack Tucker of Tyler, Texas.

CHILD 3 - Hugh C. GILBERT-216

Relationship: Not sure that this is one of Ambrose B. Gilbert's sons. In 1860, he is living in close proximity to James W. Gilbert in Tishomingo Co., MS.

Birth: 1860 Tishomingo Co., MS census shows Hugh C. Gilbert, age 27, born in TN.

Marriage: Tishomingo Co., MS Marriage Bonds and Ministers' Returns 1842-1861.

CHILD 4 - Calvin GILBERT-260

This is a presumed son of Ambrose B. Gilbert.

Marriage - Tishomingo Co., MS Marriage Bonds and Ministers' Returns 1842-1861.

CHILD 5 - Ambrose GILBERT-217

Relationship: Living with James W. Gilbert in Tishomingo Co., MS on 1860 census.

Birth: 1860 Tishomingo Co., MS census has age 20, b. in TN.

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This is a presumed son of Ambrose B. Gilbert.

Marriage - Tishomingo Co., MS Marriage Bonds and Ministers' Returns 1842-1861.

CHILD 7 - Ann E. GILBERT-262

This is a presumed child of Ambrose B. Gilbert.

Marriage - Tishomingo Co., MS Marriage Bonds and Ministers' Returns 1842-1861.

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Marriage - Tishomingo Co., MS Marriage Bonds and Ministers' Returns 1842-1861.

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Marriage - Tishomingo Co., MS Marriage Bonds and Ministers' Returns 1842-1861.

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HUSBAND John C. GILBERT-208

BORN: Abt 1810 PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1838 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 20 Jun 1833 PLACE: ,Bedford Co.,TN
FATHER: John GILBERT-205 PARENTS' MRIN: 81
MOTHER:

WIFE Rachel ROBERTS-220

BORN: 7 Mar 1812 PLACE: ,,GA
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 2 Aug 1898 PLACE: ,Bedford Co.,TN
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: John ROBERTS-726 PARENTS' MRIN: 264
MOTHER: Sally SMITH-779

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Mary Ann GILBERT-221
---- BORN: 11 Aug 1835 PLACE: ,,TN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Sarah M. GILBERT-279
---- BORN: 21 Apr 1834 PLACE: ,,TN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 5 May 1901 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: William C. MORTON-283 MRIN: 44
MARR: 18 Jul 1850 PLACE: ,Linc. or Bedf.,TN

3. NAME: Artemsia GILBERT-222
---- BORN: 11 Aug 1835 PLACE: ,Bedford Co.,TN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME: A. B. GILBERT-200
---- BORN: 23 Mar 1838 PLACE: ,Bedford Co.,TN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

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WIFE Rachel ROBERTS-220 Yr of Birth 1812

CHILDREN (continued)

5. NAME: John C. GILBERT-223
---- BORN: 8 Mar 1839 PLACE: ,Bedford Co.,TN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 18 Jan 1863 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE: Richmond Cem.,Bedford,TN
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

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WIFE - Rachel ROBERTS-220

Birth and Death: 1850 Bedford Co., TN census shows Rachel Gilbert age 38, born in GA. Also, Lincoln Co. TN Pioneers, Vol XXII, No. 1, Jan '93 has the chart of Patricia Ann West, 24 Willow Hill Road, St. Louis, MO 63124. Rachel is one of her ancestors. Received transcript of Morton-Gilbert Bible and Smith-Roberts-Gilbert Bible from P. West on 21 Mar 1994.

Rachel Roberts Gilbert was the daughter of John and Sarah Roberts in whose home she was living in 1850. John was 80 years of age and born in VA. Sarah was 74 years of age and born in NC.

It appears that Rachel never remarried. She is found on the 1850 Bedford Co., TN (Post Office - Richmond) Census, age 48, living in the household of John Roberts, age 92. Also in the hh was Artimesa Roberts (probably her sister) and John C. Gilbert, age 21, (her son).

CHILD 1 - Mary Ann GILBERT-221

Relationship and Birth: 1850 Bedford Co., TN census shows Mary Ann Gilbert in household with Rachael Roberts. Mary Ann is age 16, born in TN.

Also, received transcript of Smith-Roberts-Gilbert Bible from P. West.

CHILD 2 - Sarah M. GILBERT-279

Relationship - Chancery Court, Lincoln Co., TN 1840-1844, p. 146 - Sally M. Gilbert is named as one of the heirs of John C. Gilbert.

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WIFE	Rachel ROBERTS-220	Yr of Birth 1812

Birth and Death - Lincoln Co. TN Pioneers, Vol XXII, No. 1, Jan. '93. Chart of Patricia Ann West, 24 Willow Hill Road, St. Louis, MO 63124.

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CHILD 3 - Artemsia GILBERT-222

Relationship: Chancery Court, Lincoln Co., TN 1840-1844, p. 146 - Artemsia Gilbert is named as one of the heirs of John C. Gilbert.

Birth: 1850 Bedford Co., TN census, Artemsia Gilbert is in household with Rachel Gilbert. Artemsia is age 16, born in TN. Also found in Smith-Roberts-Gilbert Bible.

CHILD 4 - A. B. GILBERT-200

Birth-Relationship: Smith-Roberts-Gilbert Bible.

CHILD 5 - John C. GILBERT-223

Relationship: Chancery Court, Lincoln Co., TN 1840-1844, p. 146 names John C. Gilbert as one of John C. Gilbert's children.

Birth: Gravestone in Richmond Cemetery, Bedford Co., TN; 8 Mar 1838 - 18 Jan 1863. Nothing has been found, but the date of death indicates that he may have died in the Civil War. Smith-Roberts-Gilbert Bible give birth year as 1839.

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HUSBAND Washington Alexander GILBERT-209

BORN: 28 Sep 1814 PLACE: ,,NC
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 30 Aug 1894 PLACE: Tuscumbia,Colbert,AL
BUR.: PLACE: Tuscumbia,Colbert,AL
MARR: 13 Mar 1842 PLACE: ,Lauderdale,AL
FATHER: John GILBERT-205 PARENTS' MRIN: 81
MOTHER:

WIFE Sarah Elizabeth OLIVER-224

BORN: 2 Feb 1823 PLACE: ,,TN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 22 Oct 1878 PLACE: ,Colbert,AL
BUR.: PLACE: Tuscumbia,Colbert,AL
FATHER:
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: William Bourland GILBERT-783
---- BORN: 30 Jan 1843 PLACE:
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 15 Dec 1899 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: James Washington GILBERT-226
---- BORN: 9 Jul 1845 PLACE: ,Lauderdale,AL
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 19 Jan 1926 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME: Albert Alexander GILBERT-225
---- BORN: 28 Sep 1847 PLACE: ,,AL
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 3 Nov 1874 PLACE: ,Colbert,AL
BUR.: PLACE: Tuscumbia,Colbert,AL
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME: Adoniram Judson GILBERT-227
---- BORN: 8 Dec 1849 PLACE: ,,AL
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 2 Apr 1926 PLACE:
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MARR: PLACE:

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CHILDREN (continued)

5. NAME: Henry Clay GILBERT-228
---- BORN: 13 Dec 1857 PLACE: ,,AL
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 21 Feb 1944 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Lucy PRIDE-789 MRIN: 317
MARR: 13 Dec 1883 PLACE: ,,AL

6. NAME: Daniel Webster GILBERT-229
---- BORN: 13 Dec 1857 PLACE: ,,AL
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 30 Jun 1947 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Lucy CHAPMAN-841 MRIN: 312
MARR: PLACE:

7. NAME: Joseph Eaton GILBERT-230
---- BORN: 25 Dec 1854 PLACE: Rogersville,Lauderdale,AL
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 13 Jul 1943 PLACE: Dallas,Dallas,TX
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Margaret WARREN-231 MRIN: 85
MARR: 20 Nov 1879 PLACE:

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WIFE - Sarah Elizabeth OLIVER-224

Birth, Death - "Alabama Records Colbert Co.", AL, Vol. 56, p. 22 by Gandrud - Listing of Winston Family Cemetery: Sarah E. Gilbert, b. Feb 2, 1825, d. Oct. 22, 1878 (of yellow fever).

Sarah Elizabeth Oliver was the daughter of William Oliver and Sarah Mary Howard. The division of the estate of William Oliver may be found in Lauderdale Co., AL Probate Minutes, Nov. 1855, p. 81. Sarah Mary Howard Oliver, mother of Sarah Elizabeth Oliver Gilbert died in Tuscumbia, AL on 18 Oct 1869. Her obituary was in the Huntsville (AL) Advocate on 26 Oct 1869.

CHILD 1 - William Bourland GILBERT-783

Relationship, Birth and Death - Bible Record of Washington Alexander Gilbert.

CHILD 2 - James Washington GILBERT-226

Relationship, Birth - "Biographical and Historical Memoirs of Mississippi", by Goodspeed Publishing Co. of Chicago, p. 791.

Bible Record of Washington Alexander Gilbert.

J.W. Gilbert was a medical doctor. He married 3 times:

1. 1866 Laura Harris d/o Wm. and Mary (Stovall) Harris. She died a few months after marriage.
2. 1870 Naomi Harris, sister of Laura. Issue:
   Minnie m. H.B. Cobb
   Edward m. Miss McPherson
   Naomi died 1 Jan 1880
3. Ella Anthony d/o Dr. J.A. Anthony of Terrell, TX, b. in TN. Issue:

HUSBAND Washington Alexander GILBERT-209 Yr of Birth 1814
WIFE Sarah Elizabeth OLIVER-224 Yr of Birth 1823

Cecile
James A.

Dr. J.W. Gilbert practiced medicine in Tuscumbia, AL after graduating from Bellevue Medical College in New York City. In Jan. 1878, he moved to Verona, MS. Dr. Gilbert was a member of the Knights of Honor and the Masons. He was a Baptist and a democrat. He was still living in 1891 when Goodspeed published the "Biographical and Historical Memoirs of Mississippi."

CHILD 3 - Albert Alexander GILBERT-225

Relationship - "Biographical and Historical Memoirs of Mississippi" by Goodspeed Publishing Co. of Chicago, p. 791.

Birth - "Alabama Records Colbert Co., AL", Vol. 56, p. 22 by Gandrud - Listing of Winston Family Cemetery has Albert A(lexr) Gilbert, CSA, b. Sept. 28, 1847, d. Nov. 3, 1874.

Death - Bible Record of Washington Alexander Gilbert.

CHILD 4 - Adoniram Judson GILBERT-227

Relationship, Birth - "Biographical and Historical Memoirs of Mississippi" by Goodspeed Publishing Co. of Chicago, p. 791.

Birth, Death and Marriage - Bible Record of Washington Alexander Gilbert.

CHILD 5 - Henry Clay GILBERT-228

Relationship, Birth, Marriage and Death - Bible Record of Washington Alexander Gilbert.

CHILD 6 - Daniel Webster GILBERT-229

Relationship, Birth - "Biographical and Historical Memoirs of Mississippi" by Goodspeed Publishing Co. of Chicago, p. 791.

Birth, Death and Marriage - Bible Record of Washington Alexander Gilbert.

Henry C. Gilbert and Daniel W. Gilbert were twins.

CHILD 7 - Joseph Eaton GILBERT-230

Relationship - "Biographical and Historical Memoirs of Mississippi" by Goodspeed Publishing Co. of Chicago, p. 791. Also, family records of Maurice Hughston (deceased) from "Gilbert Gallery", Vol. 1 p. 33.

Birth, Death - Family records of Maurice Hughston (deceased) from "Gilbert's Gallery", Vol. 1 p. 33.

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-5

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HUSBAND John Caperton MCNATT-5

BORN: 19 Sep 1808 PLACE: ,Bedford,TN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 2 Apr 1885 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 30 Sep 1830 PLACE: ,Bedford,TN
FATHER: Leven Benson MCNATT-6 PARENTS' MRIN: 6
MOTHER: Nancy SMITH-14

WIFE Sarah R. GILBERT-13

BORN: 15 Aug 1816 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 8 Aug 1859 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
BUR.: PLACE: Grammer Cemetery,Lawrence,MO
FATHER: John GILBERT-205 PARENTS' MRIN: 81
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Nancy Caroline MCNATT-64
---- BORN: 25 Dec 1835 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 17 Aug 1909 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
BUR.: PLACE: Grammer Cemetery,Lawrence,MO
SPOUSE: Charles Riley GALLOWAY-88 MRIN: 32
MARR: 6 Dec 1853 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO

2. NAME: Martin VanBuren MCNATT-65
---- BORN: 9 Oct 1837 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 12 Oct 1861 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE: Grammer Cemetery,Lawrence,MO
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME: Mary Ann MCNATT-66
---- BORN: Abt 1840 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Harrison C. WOOTEN-89 MRIN: 33
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME: Sarah Ispahan MCNATT-67
---- BORN: 25 Dec 1843 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 25 Sep 1867 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
BUR.: PLACE: Grammer Cemetery,Lawrence,MO
SPOUSE: William Walter BRASHEARS-90 MRIN: 34
MARR: PLACE:

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HUSBAND John Caperton MCNATT-5 Yr of Birth 1808
WIFE Sarah R. GILBERT-13 Yr of Birth 1816

CHILDREN (continued)

5. NAME: Amanda Emaline MCNATT-68
---- BORN: 2 Jan 1843 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 2 Apr 1867 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
BUR.: PLACE: Grammer Cemetery,Lawrence,MO
SPOUSE: John Samuel WHEAT-91 MRIN: 35
MARR: PLACE:

6. NAME: Allen Rite MCNATT-69
---- BORN: 19 Mar 1845 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 15 Aug 1923 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
BUR.: PLACE: Aurora,Lawrence,MO has other marriages
SPOUSE: Mary PHARIS-92 MRIN: 36
MARR: 11 Mar 1866 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO

7. NAME: John Jay MCNATT-70
---- BORN: 5 Mar 1847 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 6 Jun 1920 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE: IOOF Cemetery,Neosha,MO
SPOUSE: Mary Catherine BLANKENSHIP-93 MRIN: 37
MARR: 20 Jun 1867 PLACE:

8. NAME: Francis Ona MCNATT-72
---- BORN: 26 Jul 1849 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 26 Oct 1930 PLACE: Aurora,Lawrence,MO
BUR.: PLACE: Aurora,Lawrence,MO
SPOUSE: Abram Ryker WHEAT-94 MRIN: 38
MARR: 12 Mar 1866 PLACE:

9. NAME: Carr S. MCNATT-71
---- BORN: 23 Oct 1851 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE: has other marriages
SPOUSE: Alice A. ELLIOT-95 MRIN: 39
MARR: 1876 PLACE:

10. NAME: Gilbert Washington MCNATT-4
---- BORN: 29 Mar 1854 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 30 Oct 1932 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Amanda L. COX-12 MRIN: 4
MARR: 17 Oct 1875 PLACE: Aurora,Lawrence,MO

HUSBAND John Caperton MCNATT-5 Yr of Birth 1808
WIFE Sarah R. GILBERT-13 Yr of Birth 1816

CHILDREN (continued)

11. NAME: Cassandra MCNATT-73
---- BORN: 1857 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

HUSBAND	John Caperton MCNATT-5	Yr of Birth 1808
WIFE	Sarah R. GILBERT-13	Yr of Birth 1816

HUSBAND - John Caperton MCNATT-5

Information from McNatt family records.

"The History of Missouri", Vol. IV, Lewis Historical Publishing Company: John C. McNatt was one of the pioneer settlers of Lawrence County, coming there from Tennessee in 1837. The first merchant in Aurora, he homesteaded the land on which the town was founded. A surveyor, he did much of the early surveying work in and around Aurora. Considering this background, it is not surprising that the local paper of Aurora said of Mr. McNatt: "He was the thrid man in direct family line to have played important roles in the history of Aurora and Lawrence county during a period of more than 100 years. In many ways, their history is that of the town."

WIFE - Sarah R. GILBERT-13

Relationship: Family records of Melanie McNatt Nolan.

Birth, Death and Marriage: Grammer Cemetery - 2 miles east of Marionville, Lawrence, MO - Sally R. McNatt, 15 Aug 1816, 13 Aug 1859, wife of John C.

Sally R. (Gilbert) McNatt came to Lawrence Co., MO in 1837 with her husband John Caperton McNatt and his father Levin McNatt and his brother Carr Smith McNatt.

CHILD 1 - Nancy Caroline MCNATT-64

CHILD 2 - Martin VanBuren MCNATT-65

CHILD 3 - Mary Ann MCNATT-66

CHILD 4 - Sarah Ispahan MCNATT-67

CHILD 5 - Amanda Emaline MCNATT-68

CHILD 6 - Allen Rite MCNATT-69

Other marriages:

Adaline MCCARRELL-97
Carrie CLAYTON-98

CHILD 7 - John Jay MCNATT-70

CHILD 8 - Francis Ona MCNATT-72

CHILD 9 - Carr S. MCNATT-71

Other marriages:

1887 Martha J. THOMAS-96

CHILD 10 - Gilbert Washington MCNATT-4

CHILD 11 - Cassandra MCNATT-73

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-4

HUSBAND Gilbert Washington MCNATT-4

BORN: 29 Mar 1854 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 30 Oct 1932 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 17 Oct 1875 PLACE: Aurora,Lawrence,MO
FATHER: John Caperton MCNATT-5 PARENTS' MRIN: 5
MOTHER: Sarah R. GILBERT-13

WIFE Amanda L. COX-12

BORN: 24 Sep 1853 PLACE: ,Pulaski,KY
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 18 Feb 1938 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
BUR.: PLACE: Aurora,Lawrence,MO
FATHER: Marcellus COX-27 PARENTS' MRIN: 14
MOTHER: Susannah HAIL-28

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Ona L. MCNATT-57
---- BORN: 22 Jun 1789 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 4 Sep 1942 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Andrew Jackson SCOTT-85 MRIN: 29
MARR: 26 Jan 1895 PLACE:

2. NAME: John Ardus MCNATT-58
---- BORN: 22 Jun 1881 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 9 Jan 1959 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE: Aurora,Lawrence,MO
SPOUSE: Ola Olivia BERKEY-86 MRIN: 30
MARR: 7 Jul 1907 PLACE:

3. NAME: Arthur Carr MCNATT-3
---- BORN: 16 Oct 1883 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Nellie Mae GAMBLE-11 MRIN: 3
MARR: 28 Jan 1906 PLACE: Aurora,Lawrence,MO

4. NAME: Arizona Pearl MCNATT-59
---- BORN: 27 Nov 1890 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1952 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE: Aurora,Lawrence,MO
SPOUSE: Willard FAULKNER-87 MRIN: 31
MARR: 1912 PLACE:

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HUSBAND Gilbert Washington MCNATT-4 Yr of Birth 1854
WIFE Amanda L. COX-12 Yr of Birth 1853

CHILDREN (continued)

5. NAME: Ethel F. MCNATT-60
---- BORN: 25 Aug 1886 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 18 Feb 1887 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE: Fairview Cem.,Lawrence,MO
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

6. NAME: Vannie C. MCNATT-61
---- BORN: 2 Nov 1888 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 7 Jun 1889 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
BUR.: PLACE: Fairview Cem.,Lawrence,MO
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

7. NAME: Zula MCNATT-62
---- BORN: PLACE:
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

8. NAME: Maude MCNATT-63
---- BORN: PLACE:
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

HUSBAND	Gilbert Washington MCNATT-4	Yr of Birth 1854
WIFE	Amanda L. COX-12	Yr of Birth 1853

HUSBAND - Gilbert Washington MCNATT-4

WIFE - Amanda L. COX-12

"Biographical Sketches of the Cox and Hail Families" by Henry Jefferson Cox in the Pulaski County, KY Historical Society Library: "Uncle Marcellus' daughter, Amanda, was born in Kentucky, 1855, and at the age of thirteen, her father, after a short stay in East Missouri, and one and one-half years in Texas, moved to Southwest Missouri, 1868, where she lived on the farm, until her marriage to G.W. McNatt, of Aurora, MO. Her husband Wash was in the mercantile business at Aurora for several years; after which he purchased a farm home, three miles north of Aurora, on which the family lived for a number of years. Then, late in life, they left the farm and moved back to Aurora and purchased a good home there, at which they spent their few remaining years. I visited them there, 1926, while on my last visit to see Brother Dan and Alice. Cousin Wash and Amanda were both in fairly good health at that time. However, only six years therafter, Wash passed away, age 78, and Cousing Amanda survived him only six years. Here death came suddenly February, 1938, aged 83. They left behind two sons and two daughters: John, Ona, Arthur and Pearl."

CHILD 1 - Ona L. MCNATT-57

CHILD 2 - John Ardus MCNATT-58

CHILD 3 - Arthur Carr MCNATT-3

CHILD 4 - Arizona Pearl MCNATT-59

CHILD 5 - Ethel F. MCNATT-60

CHILD 6 - Vannie C. MCNATT-61

CHILD 7 - Zula MCNATT-62

CHILD 8 - Maude MCNATT-63

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-3

15 Nov 1993

HUSBAND Arthur Carr MCNATT-3

BORN: 16 Oct 1883 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 28 Jan 1906 PLACE: Aurora,Lawrence,MO
FATHER: Gilbert Washington MCNATT-4 PARENTS' MRIN: 4
MOTHER: Amanda L. COX-12

WIFE Nellie Mae GAMBLE-11

BORN: 12 Oct 1883 PLACE: Republic,Greene,MO
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: William L. GAMBLE-17 PARENTS' MRIN: 9
MOTHER: Sarah Emaline BRITAIN-18

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Rex Washington MCNATT-2
---- BORN: 15 Dec 1906 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE: has other marriages
SPOUSE: Margaret Faye PHILLIPS-10 MRIN: 2
MARR: 11 Apr 1943(div) PLACE: Vicksburg,Hinds,MS

2. NAME: Alverta Mae MCNATT-48
---- BORN: 1 Jun 1909 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Ira Raymond MATTHEWS-51 MRIN: 24
MARR: 1 Jun 1929 PLACE:

3. NAME: Eldon Howe MCNATT-49
---- BORN: 21 Oct 1913 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE: has other marriages
SPOUSE: Alice RORHBOUGH-56 MRIN: 28
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME: Ona Marie MCNATT-50
---- BORN: 30 Mar 1921 PLACE: ,Lawrence,MO
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Edwin Harold BUCHANAN-53 MRIN: 26
MARR: PLACE:

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-3
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HUSBAND	Arthur Carr MCNATT-3	Yr of Birth 1883
WIFE	Nellie Mae GAMBLE-11	Yr of Birth 1883

HUSBAND - Arthur Carr MCNATT-3

WIFE - Nellie Mae GAMBLE-11

CHILD 1 - Rex Washington MCNATT-2

Other marriages:
Kathryn BUSBY-55 MRIN: 27

CHILD 2 - Alverta Mae MCNATT-48

CHILD 3 - Eldon Howe MCNATT-49

Other marriages:
Bettie Arlene EBERT-52 MRIN: 25

CHILD 4 - Ona Marie MCNATT-50

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-102

4 Sep 1993

HUSBAND Malcom G. MCNATT-75

BORN: 1815 PLACE: ,Bedford,TN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: PLACE:
FATHER: Leven Benson MCNATT-6 PARENTS' MRIN: 6
MOTHER: Nancy SMITH-14

WIFE Onea L. GILBERT-210

BORN: Abt 1819 PLACE: ,,TN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: John GILBERT-205 PARENTS' MRIN: 81
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Malinda C. MCNATT-280
---- BORN: Abt 1837 PLACE: ,,MO
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Gilbert M. MCNATT-281
---- BORN: Abt 1846 PLACE: ,,MO
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME: William C. MCNATT-282
---- BORN: Abt 1846 PLACE: ,,MO
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

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FAMILY GROUP RECORD-102
DOCUMENTATION

HUSBAND	Malcom G. MCNATT-75	Yr of Birth 1815
WIFE	Onea L. GILBERT-210	Yr of Birth 1819

HUSBAND - Malcom G. MCNATT-75

Could not find Malcom G. and Onea L. McNatt on any census except the 1850 Lawrence Co., MO.

WIFE - Onea L. GILBERT-210

Relationship: "Gilbert Gallery", Vols. 1 and 12 - Family records of Maurice Hughston (deceased) and Mary Mack Tucker of Tyler, Texas.

Birth: 1850 Lawrence Co., MO census gives age as 30, birthplace TN.

Marriage: No place or date of marriage has been found.

Death: No place or date of death has been found.

Onea L. Gilbert married Malcolm G. McNatt, brother of John Caperton McNatt. They moved to Lawrence Co., MO ca 1837.

CHILD 1 - Malinda C. MCNATT-280

Birth and Relationship - 1850 Lawrence Co., MO Census.

CHILD 2 - Gilbert M. MCNATT-281

Birth and Relationship - 1850 Lawrence Co., MO Census.

CHILD 3 - William C. MCNATT-282

Birth and Relationship - 1850 Lawrence Co., MO Census.

HUSBAND Doctor Addison GILBERT-211

BORN: 6 Jan 1821 PLACE: ,,NC
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 19 Feb 1903 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
BUR.: PLACE: East of Bledsoe,Lincoln,TN
MARR: Abt 1837 PLACE: ,,TN
FATHER: John GILBERT-205 PARENTS' MRIN: 81
MOTHER:

WIFE Lucretia ROBERTS-232

BORN: 7 Oct 1820 PLACE: ,,TN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 24 Mar 1893 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
BUR.: PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
FATHER: John ROBERTS-726 PARENTS' MRIN: 264
MOTHER: Sally SMITH-779

CHILDREN

1. NAME: Washington A. GILBERT-233
---- BORN: 28 May 1839 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 8 Aug 1898 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
BUR.: PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
SPOUSE: Margaret T. SORRELLS-241 MRIN: 87
MARR: 3 Dec 1865 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN

2. NAME: John R. GILBERT-234
---- BORN: Abt 1841 PLACE: ,,TN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME: Rezin A. GILBERT-235
---- BORN: Feb 1842 PLACE: ,,TN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: Aug 1857 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
BUR.: PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME: Ambrose F. GILBERT-236
---- BORN: 20 Dec 1843 PLACE: ,,TN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 8 Oct 1921 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
BUR.: PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

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WIFE Lucretia ROBERTS-232 Yr of Birth 1820

CHILDREN (continued)

5. NAME: William W. GILBERT-237
---- BORN: Abt 1846 PLACE: ,,TN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Martha J. NICHOLS-259 MRIN: 94
MARR: 10 Sep 1867 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN

6. NAME: Sarah A. GILBERT-238
---- BORN: Abt 1847 PLACE: ,,TN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

7. NAME: Peter C. GILBERT-239
---- BORN: 26 Dec 1849 PLACE: ,Lincoln Co.,TN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Pricilla Lucy WARREN-242 MRIN: 88
MARR: 15 Jul 1875 PLACE: ,,,TN

8. NAME: James L. GILBERT-255
---- BORN: 1851 PLACE: ,,TN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1923 PLACE: ,,TN
BUR.: PLACE: Petersburg Cem.,Lincoln,TN
SPOUSE: Effie ALLEN-258 MRIN: 93
MARR: Abt 1880 PLACE: ,,TN

9. NAME: Margaret Ann GILBERT-256
---- BORN: 1853 PLACE: ,,TN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 7 Nov 1890 PLACE: Near Charity,Monroe Co.,TN
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Andrew Jackson BURNS-786 MRIN: 75
MARR: PLACE:

10. NAME: Henry H. GILBERT-240
---- BORN: 12 Apr 1855 PLACE: ,,TN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 7 Jul 1865 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
BUR.: PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

HUSBAND Doctor Addison GILBERT-211 Yr of Birth 1821
WIFE Lucretia ROBERTS-232 Yr of Birth 1820

CHILDREN (continued)

11. NAME: Mary E. GILBERT-257
---- BORN: 26 May 1857 PLACE: ,Lincoln Co.,TN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 31 Dec 1912 PLACE: ,Lincoln Co.,TN
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: W. A. MORRISON-1228 MRIN: 330
MARR: 22 Oct 1874 PLACE: ,Lincoln Co.,TN

12. NAME: Cordelia GILBERT-1227
---- BORN: 1861 PLACE: ,Lincoln Co.,TN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1935 PLACE: ,Lincoln Co.,TN
BUR.: PLACE: Old Orchard Cem.,Lincoln Co.,TN
SPOUSE: Joe C. WAGSTER-719 MRIN: 76
MARR: PLACE:

13. NAME: Ruth America GILBERT-912
---- BORN: 1865 PLACE: ,Lincoln Co.,TN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1945 PLACE: ,Lincoln Co.,TN
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE: Barachias C. MORTON-707 MRIN: 432
MARR: PLACE:

14. NAME: Frances E. GILBERT-928
---- BORN: 1866 PLACE:
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: 1946 PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE: Old Orchard Cem.,Lincoln Co.,TN
SPOUSE: Joe STEPHENSON-780 MRIN: 431
MARR: PLACE:

HUSBAND	Doctor Addison GILBERT-211	Yr of Birth 1821
WIFE	Lucretia ROBERTS-232	Yr of Birth 1820

HUSBAND - Doctor Addison GILBERT-211

Relationship: "Gilbert Gallery", Vols. 1 and 12 - Family records of Maurice Hughston (deceased) and Mary Mack Tucker of Tyler, Texas.

Birth and Death: "Cemetery Records of Lincoln-Moore Counties Tennessee" by Helen C. and Timothy R. Marsh, p. 8 - Gilbert Cemetery, 1/2 mile east of Bledsoe on south of Bledsoe-Chestnut Ridge Road. D.A. Gilbert, Jan. 6, 1821 - Feb. 19, 1903.

Marriage: No place or date of marriage has been found. It was probably ca 1837, since birth of oldest child, Washington A., was in 1839.

Doctor Addison and Lucretia Gilbert lived in the neighborhood of the Baptist Church at Hannah's Gap. He is the only son of John Gilbert who remained in Lincoln Co., TN after the death of his father.

WIFE - Lucretia ROBERTS-232

Birth, Death - 1850 Lincoln Co., TN census has Lucretia Gilbert, age 29, born in TN. Gravestone in Gilbert Cemetery, 1/2 mile east of Bledsoe, TN in Lincoln Co., TN has Lucretia Gilbert, Died Mar. 24, 1893, Aged 72y, 5m, 17d. Also, FGS from P. West, 24 Will Hill Rd., St. Louis, MO 63124.

Lucretia was the sister of Rachel Roberts who married John C. Gilbert.

Obituary - Lucretia Gilbert wife of D.A. Gilbert, departed this life on March 24, 1893, aged 72 years....united with the Baptist Church at Hannah's Gap, Lincoln County, Tenn. when about 16 years old....She leaves a husband and nine children...interred in family burying ground in the neighborhood of the Church, Pastor McNatt conductin gthe funeral services. (Lincoln Co., TN Bible Records, Vol. 4 by Tucker and Waller, p. 125)

CHILD 1 - Washington A. GILBERT-233

Relationship - 1850 Lincoln Co., TN census shows Washington A., age 10 in household of D.A. Gilbert.

Birth, Death - Gravestone in Presser Cemetery, Belleville, TN in Lincoln Co., TN has birth and death.

Marriage - Lincoln Co., TN Marriage Records.

CHILD 2 - John R. GILBERT-234

Relationship, Birth - 1850 Lincoln Co., TN census shows John R., age 9, born TN in household of D.A. Gilbert.

CHILD 3 - Rezin A. GILBERT-235

Relationship - 1850 Lincoln Co., TN census shows Rezin A. in household of D.A. Gilbert.

Birth, Death - Gravestone in Gilbert Cemetery, 1/2 mile east of Bledsoe, TN in Lincoln Co.

HUSBAND Doctor Addison GILBERT-211 Yr of Birth 1821
WIFE Lucretia ROBERTS-232 Yr of Birth 1820

CHILD 4 - Ambrose F. GILBERT-236

Relationship - 1850 Lincoln Co., TN census shows Ambrose F. in household of D.A. Gilbert.

Birth, Death - Gravestone in Petersburg Cemetery (Old Orchard) in Lincoln Co., TN.

CHILD 5 - William W. GILBERT-237

Relationship - 1850 Lincoln Co., TN census shows William W. in household of D.A. Gilbert.

Marriage - Lincoln Co., TN, Bk. B, p. 210.

CHILD 6 - Sarah A. GILBERT-238

Relationship - 1850 Lincoln Co., TN census shows Sarah A. in household of D.A. Gilbert.

CHILD 7 - Peter C. GILBERT-239

Relationship - 1850 Lincoln Co., TN census shows Peter C. in household of D.A. Gilbert.

Birth: FGS from P. West.

Marriage - There are three graves in Gilbert Cemetery, 1/2 mile east of Bledsoe, TN in Lincoln Co. for children of P.C. and Ella Gilbert.

CHILD 8 - James L. GILBERT-255

Relationship - 1860 Lincoln Co., TN census.

Birth and Death - Cemetery Records of Lincoln County Tennessee by Timothy Richard and Helen Crawford Marsh, p. 451, Petersburg Cem. (Old Orchard) Petersburg #19.

CHILD 9 - Margaret Ann GILBERT-256

Birth and Relationship - 1860 Lincoln Co., TN census.

Death and Husband's name - FGS from P. West.

CHILD 10 - Henry H. GILBERT-240

Birth, Death, Relationship - Gravestone in Gilbert Cemetery, 1/2 mile east of Bledsoe, TN in Lincoln Co. This is the same cemetery in which D.A. and Lucretia Gilbert are buried.

CHILD 11 - Mary E. GILBERT-257

Birth and Relationship - 1860 Lincoln Co., TN census. Also, FGS from P. West.

Marriage - FGS from P. West.

CHILD 12 - Cordelia GILBERT-1227

Relationship - FGS from P. West.

Birth - FGS from P. West

HUSBAND	Doctor Addison GILBERT-211	Yr of Birth 1821
WIFE	Lucretia ROBERTS-232	Yr of Birth 1820

Marriage - FGS from P. West

Death - FGS from P. West, grave marker is in Old Orchard Cemetery.

CHILD 13 - Ruth America GILBERT-912

Relationship - FGS from P. West.

Birth - FGS from P. West

Marriage - FGS from P. West

Death - FGS from P. West, grave marker is in Old Orchard Cemetery.

CHILD 14 - Frances E. GILBERT-928

Relationship - FGS from P. West.

Birth - FGS from P. West

Marriage - FGS from P. West

Death - FGS from P. West, grave marker is in Old Orchard Cemetery.

FAMILY GROUP RECORD-89

HUSBAND Samuel NICKS-243

BORN: Abt 1822 PLACE: ,,TN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
MARR: 20 Jan 1842 PLACE: ,Lincoln,TN
FATHER:
MOTHER:

WIFE Melinda Caroline GILBERT-212

BORN: Abt 1824 PLACE: ,,TN
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
FATHER: John GILBERT-205 PARENTS' MRIN: 81
MOTHER:

CHILDREN

1. NAME: John Gilbert NICKS-244
---- BORN: Abt 1844 PLACE: ,,TN
M CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

2. NAME: Sarah Gilbert NICKS-245
---- BORN: Abt 1846 PLACE: ,,TN
F CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

3. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
DIED: PLACE:
BUR.: PLACE:
SPOUSE:
MARR: PLACE:

4. NAME:
---- BORN: PLACE:
CHR.: PLACE:
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Phone:

HUSBAND	Samuel NICKS-243	Yr of Birth 1822
WIFE	Melinda Caroline GILBERT-212	Yr of Birth 1824

HUSBAND - Samuel NICKS-243

WIFE - Melinda Caroline GILBERT-212

Relationship: "Gilbert Gallery", Vols. 1 and 12 - Family records of Maurice Hughston (deceased) and Mary Mack Tucker of Tyler Texas.

Birth: 1850 Bedford Co., TN census gives age 26, born in TN.

Marriage: Lincoln Co., TN Marriage Records.

Death: No place or date of death has been found.

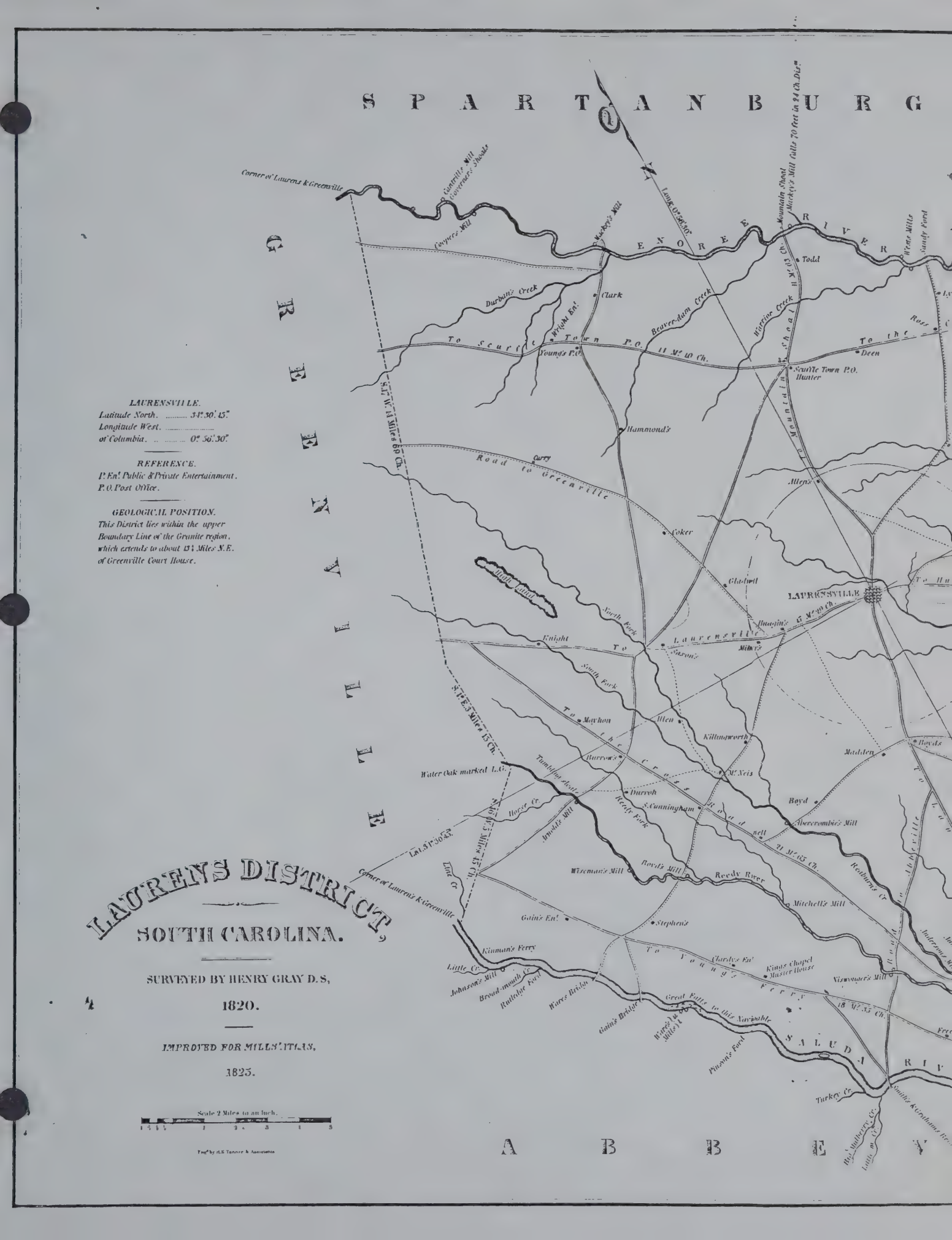
Melinda Caroline and Samuel Nicks were living in Bedford Co., TN in 1850. They had 2 children: John Gilbert Nicks, age 6 and Sarah Nicks, age 4. Was unable to locate them on an 1860 census.

CHILD 1 - John Gilbert NICKS-244

Relationship - 1850 Bedford Co., TN shows John Gilbert Nicks in household of Samuel Nicks.

CHILD 2 - Sarah Gilbert NICKS-245

Relationship - 1850 Bedford Co., TN shows Sarah Gilbert Nicks in household of Samuel Nicks.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GREENVILLE
ABBEY
ENOREE RIVER
SALUDA RIV
LAURENS DISTRICT,
SOUTH CAROLINA.
SURVEYED BY HENRY GRAY D.S,
1820.
IMPROVED FOR MILLS' ATLAS,
1825.
Scale 2 Miles to an Inch.
LAURENSVILLE.
Latitude North. 34°.30'.45".
Longitude West. 0°.56'.30".
of Columbia.
REFERENCE.
P. En! Public & Private Entertainment.
P.O. Post Office.
GEOLOGICAL POSITION.
This District lies within the upper Boundary Line of the Granite region, which extends to about 13½ Miles N.E. of Greenville Court House.
Corner of Laurens & Greenville
Cooper's Mill
Mackey's Mill
Durbin's Creek
Clark
Wright En!
Young's P.O.
Beaver-dam Creek
Warrior Creek
Todd
Mountain Shoal
Mackey's Mill falls 70 feet in 24 ch. Dis.
Wear's Mills
Sandy Ford
Deen
Scuffle Town P.O.
Hunter
Hammond's
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Road to Greenville
Allen's
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Gladwell
LAURENSVILLE
Knight
North Fork
Laurensville
Sarony's
Mill Cr.
Mayhon
Allen
Killingsworth
Madden
Boyds
Burrows
Water Oak marked L.G.
Tumbling Shoals
Durroh
S. Cunningham
Reedy Fork
Horse Cr.
Arnoldie Mill
Boyd
Abercrombie's Mill
Wiseman's Mill
Boyd's Mill
Reedy River
Mitchell's Mill
Gaine's En!
Stephen's
Kinman's Ferry
Little Cr.
Johnson's Mill
Broad-mouth Cr.
Ratledge Ford
Wares Bridge
Gaine's Bridge
Clardy's En!
Kings Chapel
Master House
Young's Ferry
Great Falls to this Navigable
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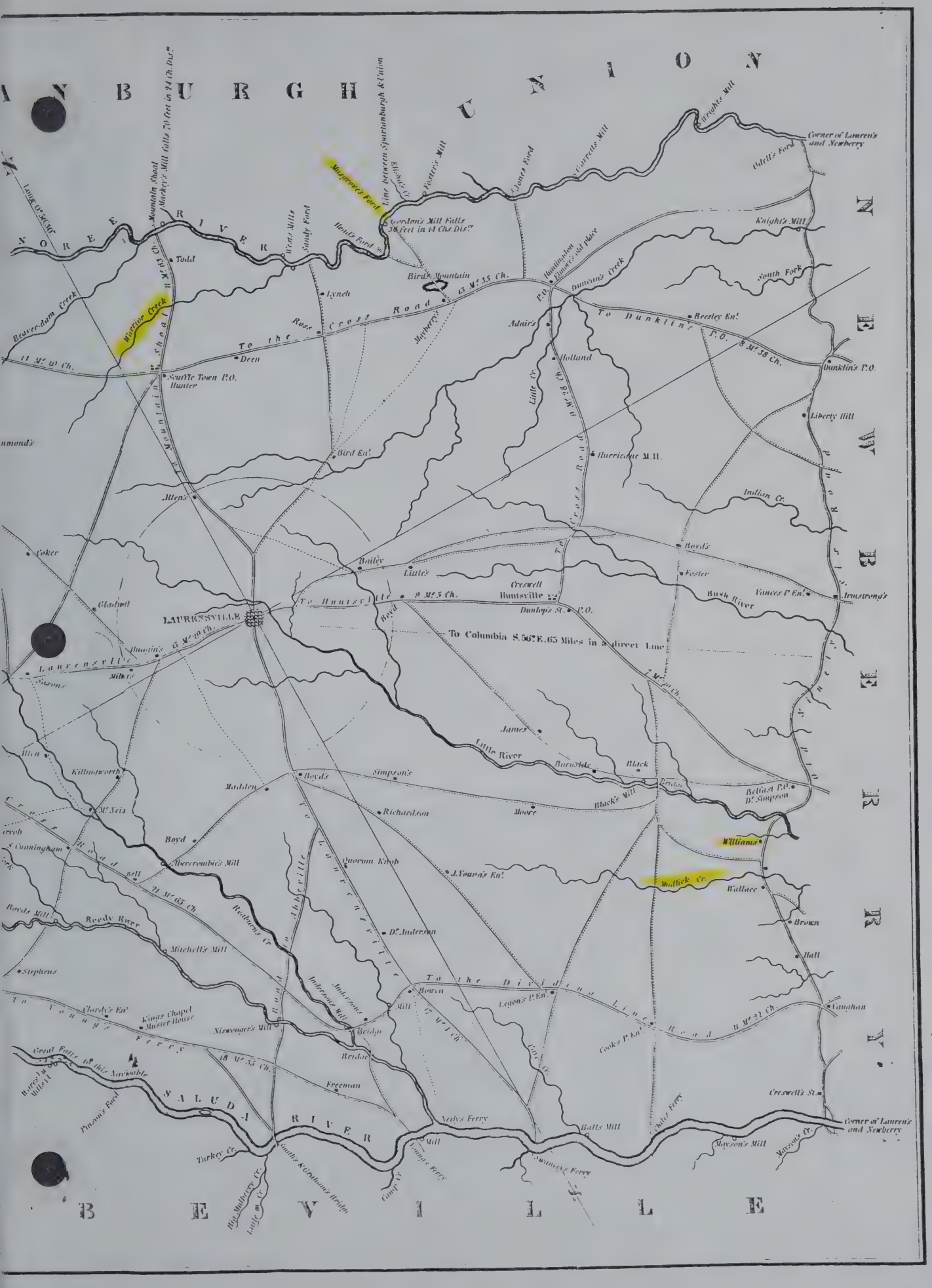
Smiths & Cleghorns Fer.
Big Mulberry Cr.
Little M. Cr.
Line Cr.
Corner of Laurens & Greenville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To the Cross Road
Bird En.
Allens
Coker
Gladwell
Bailey
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Creswell
Huntsville
To Huntsville
Dunlop's St. P.O.
To Columbia S.56° E.65 Miles in a direct Line
Boyd's
Foster
Bush River
Vances P. En.
Armstrong's
Holland
Adairs
Duncan's Creek
Huddington
Knight's Mill
South Fork
Beesley En.
To Dunklin P.O. 8 Mi. 58 Ch.
Dunklin's P.O.
Liberty Hill
Hurricane M.H.
Indian Cr.
Little Cr.
To Cross Road
Pleasant Hill
Sparkleberry
Cornerof Laurens and Newberry
Odell's Ford
Knights Mill
Gorrells Mill
Jones Ford
Line between Spartanburgh & Union
Ellison's
Fooree's Mill
Mackey's Ford
Wells Mills
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Little River
Burnside
Black
Black's Mill
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Mayson's Mill
Mayson Cr.
Mattick Cr.
Moore
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Madden
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McNeis
Cunningham
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Quorum Kirsh
J. Young's En.
Dr. Anderson
Reedy River
Mitchell's Mill
Stephens
Redbourne Cr.
To Laurensville
To the Dividing Line
Legon's P. En.
Bowen
Mill
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Anderson Mill
Anderson
Freeman
Nesbitt's Ferry
Balls Mill
Nelles Ferry
Mayson's Ferry
Cooper Cr.
Turkey Cr.
Big Mulberry Cr.
Little Mulberry Cr.
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FAMILY GROUP No. _____ Husband's Full Name John Gilbert

This Information Obtained From:

(1) Gilbert Family, Owned by Dorothy Phillips, p. 33

(2) 1840 Census - Lincoln Co. TN

(3) M. Reid - Laurelwood Co. by Elizabeth Neal 230 p. 3

(4) Geographical and Historical Memoirs of Miss. Gilbert p. 219

Husband's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth	1773	-84 (4)	Tyrrell	NC	1840 census 70-80
Chr'nd					
Mar.	Ca 1803				
Death	Jun 1841	Lincoln		TN	(7)
Burial					

Places of Residence Rutherford Co. NC, Lincoln Co. TN

Occupation _____ Church Affiliation Baptist Min. Military Rec.

Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

His Father _____ Mother's Maiden Name _____

Wife's Full Maiden Name Unknown

Wife's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth					
Chr'nd					
Death					
Burial					

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Address _____

City, State _____

Date _____

Places of Residence _____

Occupation if other than Housewife _____ Church Affiliation _____

Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

Her Father _____ Mother's Maiden Name _____

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
1	Ambrose Bourland Gilbert	Birth	Abt 1805				Bapt Min
	Full Name of Spouse* (1) Sarah Wright (2) Mrs. Mary Houston	Mar.	20 Jul 1826	Lincoln		TN	
		Death	Aug 1849	Tishomingo		MS	
		Burial					over →
2	Mary Gilbert	Birth	Ca 1808				
	Full Name of Spouse* George Leonard	Mar.	27 Jul 1826	Lincoln		TN	
		Death					
		Burial		1830 Lincoln Co. TN Census			P. 123
3	John C. Gilbert	Birth	Ca 1811				Bedford
	Full Name of Spouse* Rachel Roberts	Mar.	1833	Bedford		TN	Lincoln
		Death	1833	Lincoln		TN	Court Rec.
		Burial					
5 4	Israel R. Gilbert	Birth	15 Aug 1810				
	Full Name of Spouse* John Lafayette McNutt	Mar.	30 Sep 1830	Bedford		TN	
		Death	8 Aug 1859	Lawrence		MO	
		Burial	Hammer Cem	Lawrence		MO	
5 6	5 Orea L. Gilbert	Birth	Ca 1819			TN	(5)
	Full Name of Spouse* Malcolm H. McNutt	Mar.		Barry		MO	
		Death					
		Burial					
4	6 Washington Alexander Gilbert	Birth	22 Sep 1814			NC	
	Full Name of Spouse* Sarah Eliz. Oliver	Mar.	13 Jan 1842	Lauderdale		AL	(3)
		Death	30 Aug 1914				
		Burial	Winston Farm Cem	Tuscumbia Colbert		AL	
4	7 Doctor Addison Gilbert	Birth	6 Jan 1821			NC	
	Full Name of Spouse* Lucretia Roberts	Mar.					
		Death	1871	Lincoln		TN	
		Burial	Gilbert Cem	Chestnut Ridge Lincoln		TN	
	8 Melina Caroline Gilbert	Birth	Ca 1824			TN	(6)
	Full Name of Spouse* Samuel T. Nixon	Mar.	20 Jan 1842	BK A p20 Lincoln		TN	IGI
		Death					
		Burial					
	9	Birth		(5) 1850 Lawrence Co. MO Census			
		Mar.		(6) 1850 Bedford Co. TN Census			
	Full Name of Spouse*	Death		(7) Lincoln Co. TN Deed Bk O, p. 138			
		Burial					
	10	Birth					
		Mar.					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Death					
		Burial					

*If married more than once, give No. each mar. (1) (2) etc. and list in "Add. info. on children" column. Use reverse side for additional children, other notes, references or information.

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1782

Ambrose B. Gilbert
In Lauderdale Co. Al by 1843.
Performing marriages there.
Married 18-21 Mar 1847 to Mrs. Mary
Houston. Marr. Bk 5, p. 227

Ambrose performed marriage of
Wm Taylor to Eliza Ann Gilbert
on 7 Dec 1843 Marr Bk 5, p. 181
This is his daughter.

FAMILY GROUP No. _____ Husband's Full Name *Jacob Roberts*

This Information Obtained From:

Laurens Co. SC Will Bk C-1, pg. 217. Proven 15 ap 1806 Bundle 63, pkg. 5 Will of Jacob Roberts

Laurens Co. SC Will Bk A, pg. 44. Will of Thomas Garner: dau Molley Roberts

Deed Bk J, pg. 153: 1810 Legatees of Jacob Roberts d'c'd - Laurens Co. SC.

Husband's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth					
Chr'nd					
Mar.					
Death	1806	Laurens		SC	
Burial					

Places of Residence

Occupation *Bapt. Minister* Church Affiliation Military Rec.

Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

His Father Mother's Maiden Name

Wife's Full Maiden Name *Mary (Garner ?)*

Wife's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth					
Chr'nd					
Death	aft. 1817	Still living when return of estate of Jacob Roberts recd			
Burial					

Places of Residence

Occupation if other than Housewife Church Affiliation

Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

Her Father *Thomas Garner* Mother's Maiden Name

Compiler *Melanie Nolan*

Address

City, State

Date *May 1994*

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Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
1	*Ellender Roberts* — Full Name of Spouse* *Francis Brown*	Birth		Was dead at time of return of estate in 1817. Fielding Brown was admin. of her estate			Living in Rutherford Co. NC in 1806 & 1810
		Mar.					
		Death	bef. 1817				
		Burial					
2	*Elizabeth Roberts* — Full Name of Spouse* *John Meadows*	Birth		John Meadows received his wife's share of Jacob Roberts' estate			
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
3	*Sarah Roberts* — Full Name of Spouse* *John Gilbert*	Birth		John Gilbert received his wife's share of Jacob Roberts' estate			
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
4	*John Roberts* — Full Name of Spouse*	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
5	*(Polly) Mary Roberts* — Full Name of Spouse* *Josiah Dean*	Birth		Josiah Dean received his wife's share of Jacob Roberts' estate			
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
6	*Isaac Roberts* — Full Name of Spouse*	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
7	*Jacob Roberts* — Full Name of Spouse*	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
8	*Thomas Roberts* — Full Name of Spouse*	Birth					
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
9	*Claresey Roberts* — Full Name of Spouse* *John D. Mitcheson*	Birth		John D. Mitcheson received his wife's share of Jacob Roberts' estate			
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
10	*Cassey Roberts* — Full Name of Spouse* *Gilbert*	Birth		Dead by time of father's death. Her 2 children named: Matilda, Lucinda			
		Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					

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Jacob Roberts folder

In the name of God. Amen-

I Jacob Roberts of the District of Laurens and State of South Carolina being in declineing State of Body But of sound and perfect judgment do make constitute and ordain this my last will and testement revoking all others by me made- that is to say-Toutihing the worldley goods that it has been please God to bless me with it is my will that the hole of my estate both real and personnalley remain and continue in the possession of my beloved wife Marey Roberts for the purpose of raising and educating my youngis children or dureing her widowhood but in case of her entermarage it is my will that the hole of my estate both real and parsonnalley bee sold at the disgreation of my Exeters hereafter to be naimed giving such timeley creadets as will does justes to my younges children and the estate so sold to bee eaqualley divided as follows. my beloved wife Morah Roberts to have eaqual morjetey with my children to it. my dughter Allemon Brown. Elesebeth Meadows Sarah Gilbert and sun John Roberts and Morah Roberts Isaac Roberts, Jacob Roberts-Thomas Roberts. Claresey Roberts and as my daughter Cassey Gilbert is dead and has left two children to it Milidey Gilbert and Leusendey Gilbert my will is that they have one childs parte to be eaqualley divided between them when they com of age or marey and in case my wife seas caus to dispose of aney of my porsonnal estate to aney of my children before a division shall take place it is my will that the property so disposd of shall be valued and that the value thereof shall be kept in aboot alreadey provided for that purpose as and that it shall be as so much of there eaqual partes agreable to an eaqual destrobution it is also my will that at aney time after my death if my exeters conseave my estate to be in a waisting situation for want of due case that thay proseade to the soel of the same in order to secure the same for the purpose mentioned as and lastley I appoint my well beloved wife Marey Roberts Exeter and my friend John Meddows and my sun Isaac Roberts Exeters of this my last will and testement in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 3rd day of Jenuary 1804.

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Signed in presents of
Dannl Wright
John Roberts
Ezekel his x Griffey
Mark

his
Jacob x Roberts (Seal)
Marke

Ordinarys Office,
Laurens District.

The within will was proven before me by the oath of Dannel Wright one of the subscribed witnesses to the said will ~~and~~ on the fifteenth day of April 1806 and on the ninteenth of said instant by Ezekel Griffey one of the said witnesses to said will before me.

D. Anderson, Ordy.

Enrolled in Box 63 package 5.

Recorded in Will Booc C-1, page 217.

F.H.

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obscurity of the Revolution in 1790; in 1791 Jacob King was pastor and continued to serve the church throughout the period under discussion, with the help of Rev. Jesse Owen after 1794. Enoree Church entered Bethel Association in 1792, and its reported membership shows considerable variation.[33]

Statistics of Enoree Church, 1790-1803.[1]

Year	Ministers	Other messengers to association	Baptized	Recd. by letter	Dismissed	Excluded	Dead	Total members
1790			....	....	....	....	....	76
1791	Jacob King		....	....	....	....	....	78
1792	" "	Edward Kelly	....	....	....	....	....	80
1793		Charles Coats	....	....	....	....	....	....
		Edmund Gains	2	1	....	1	1	80
1794	Jacob King	" "	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Jesse Owen		....	2	....	1	....	31
1795		Barberry Hancock	2	2	7	2	5	71
1796	Jacob King	" "	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Jesse Owen	Edmund Kelly (L)	....	3	....	....	4	70
1797	" "	" " (L)	....	3	3	2	....	38
	Jacob King		....	....	....	....	....	....
1798	" "	James Chandler	....	....	....	....	....	....
		Barberry Hancock	....	....	2	1	1	34
1799	" "	Thomas Coats	2	1	....	1	....	36
	Jesse Owen		....	....	....	....	....	....
1800	" "	John Clarke	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Jacob King		1	....	....	1	....	36
1801			....	....	....	....	....	....
1802	" "	Thomas Coats	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Jesse Owen	Barberry Hancock	2	1	....	3	....	52
1803	" "	John Clarke	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Jacob King		15	4	1	2	....	72

[1] 1790 and 1791 from *Asplund's Register*, 5. ed.; all other years from *Bethel Association Minutes*.

Tyger River Church (Friendship), which is said to have had its first meeting place about sixteen miles southeast of Spartanburg, and which claims 1765 as its date of constitution, was so near to Fairforest as to indicate a connection in their early history. It was probably one of the main meeting places of Fairforest, and Thacker Vivian or one of the other assistants

[33] *Ibid.*, 1792-1803; *Asplund's Reg.*, 5. ed.; O'Neall and Chapman, *Newberry*, p. 690; Jacob King had a survey of 145 acres in 1785 on a small branch of Gilders Creek and one of 115 acres in 1792 on Patersons Creek of Enoree River (Plats IIIq, 354, XXXIq, 30); he was living in 1790 in Newberry County with three male and four female members of his family and with six slaves (*Census*, p. 79); licensed to preach at Lower Duncans Creek Church in 1790, he was ordained in 1791 and thereafter served as pastor of Enoree Church; *Asplund's Reg.*, 2., 5., and 6. ed.; *Bethel Assoc. Min.*, 1794, 1796-1802; Jesse Owen was excommunicated for adultery by Enoree Church in 1805 (*Ibid.*, 1805).

may have preached here.[34] Other records give 1777 as the date of constitution.[35] Doubtful traditional accounts state that the church was constituted by Rev. Jacob Roberts, under whose care it continued until the Revolution, being known as Jacob Roberts' Church, and that Mr. Roberts reconstituted it after the Revolution ten miles south of Spartanburg Court House near Ott's Bridge on Tyger River, the new name being Tyger River Baptist Church.[36] With the new name, the history of the church is plainer. Tyger River Church was a constituent member of Bethel Association in 1789, and appears on the minutes under the same name through 1800, when it was dismissed to enter Broad River Association as one of the constituents.[37] Just at this time or somewhat later it was also known as Flat Rock Church.[38] No pastor is mentioned until 1795, after which John Williams and Augustine Clayton held the position.[39] In June, 1801, Cedar Spring Church after having already warned Rev. John Williams to handle the doctrine of election more carefully sent messengers to Tyger River Church to make inquiries with regard to ru-

[34] "History of Friendship Baptist Church," in Tyger River CB, 1801-1804; Edwards, Crozer MS, p. 38, Furman MS, p. 41; Thacker Vivian had a survey Feb., 1772, of 200 acres on a small branch of Tyger River, and another of Oct., 1772, of 200 acres on north side of Tyger River, touching the river and William Cowden's land (Plats, XX, 479; see also Memorials, XIII, 312, 353).

[35] *Asplund's Reg.*, 5. ed.

[36] "History of Friendship Church," in Tyger River CB, 1801-1804; there is grave doubt, without further evidence, of Tyger River Church's having been known as Jacob Roberts' Baptist Church, at least after the Revolution, as Durbin Creek Church is called by that name in the records of neighboring churches, Tyger River among them, and in *Bethel Assoc. Min.*, 1791, 1800; it is possible that Rev. Jacob Roberts served both churches in earlier days, as they were not far apart and had intimate relations.

[37] *Charleston Assos. Min.*, 1789; *Bethel Assoc. Min.*, 1791-1800; Tyger River second on the list of churches; Logan, *Broad River Assoc.*, p. 565.

[38] "History of Friendship Church," in Tyger River CB, 1801-1804; Cedar Spring CB, April, 1803; *Asplund's Reg.*, 5. ed.; Spartanburg County RMC, Deeds U, p. 432.

[39] *Bethel Assoc. Min.*, 1791-1800; this is probably the John Williams living in Spartanburg County in 1790 with five male and five female members of his family and without slaves (*Census*, p. 90); several persons named John Williams were active in the Baptist churches of this region, and it is difficult to distinguish them. Augustine Clayton (frequently referred to as Austin Clayton) had a survey of 200 acres on Cedar Shoal Branch of Enoree and 300 acres on south side of Tyger in 1784, 872 acres on Beaverdam Creeks of Middle Tyger in 1793, 247 acres on north side of the South Fork of Tyger in 1799, and 104 acres on branches of waters of South Pacolet in 1830 (Plats, IVq, 223, 240; XXXI, 327; XXXVII, 399; XLIX, 289); his family consisted of two male and six female members and no slaves (*Census*, p. 86); he was an active minister of Bethel Association and in supply and revival work among the neighboring churches; he later transferred his activities to Bethlehem Church; he was preaching at Concord Church, Green River Association, Ky., in 1812 (Benedict, *Baptist History*, II, 544).

Statistics of Coronaca (Providence) Church, 1794-1803.[1]

Year	Ministers	Other messengers to association	Baptized	Recd. by letter	Dismissed	Excluded	Dead	Total members
1794		Ahimaas Spencer	....	....	....	....	....	....
		Samuel Dewit		....	....	....	....	26
1795		William Long	....	....	....	....	....	....
		William Wright	....	2	6	....	....	22
1796		William Long	....	....	....	....	....	....
		John King	....	....	2	....	....	20
1797		John Williams	....	....	....	....	....	..
		Abraham Roman	....	2	1	....	....	19
1798		John Williams	....	....	....	....	....	..
		Arthur Williams	1	5	....	....	....	24
1799		Arthur Williams (L)	....	....	....	....	....	.
		Jonathan Ussery	....	....	2	1	....	24
1800		Jonathan Ussery	5	....	....	1	....	28
		Arthur Williams (L)	....	....	....	....	....	...
1801			...	.	....	....	....	..
1802	Arthur Williams	Joel Lipscomb	....	2	1	1	....	36
1803	" "		3	2	3	1	....	38
				(1 restored)				

[1]*Bethel Association Minutes.*

William Chiles, and Meshec Overby constituted Siloam Baptist Church on June 29, 1799, "for the better convenience of keeping up the worship and discipline of the church of Christ." Thirty-two members, among them Rev. John Waller, who was chosen "occasional pastor," composed the new body, which became one of the Bethel Association churches in the same year. Two lay elders were to be chosen in December, 1800, but the records, scattered and incomplete, do not name them. Siloam had at the time a meeting house or an arm at Mt. Gerizim; church meeting was to be held every other month, the Lord's Supper to be administered once a quarter, and "The brethren to find the mind at each place, in rotation." The deacons in 1803 "were impowered to furnish the tables adequate for the Lord's supper in a decent manner," and to demand the reason if any member repeatedly refused to commune. The death of Rev. John Waller in 1802 left the church without pastoral aid until it took Rev. Arthur Williams as supply in 1803.[120]

[120]*Bethel Assoc. Min.*, 1799-1803; Siloam CB, 1799-1804, June 29, 1799: List of constituents: John Waller, Charles Foushee, John Ball, Nancy Ball, Benjamin Waller, Joanah Waller, John N. Waller, Martha Nichols, Phoebe Turret, Claben Wright, Elizabeth Wright, Mary Gains, Tabitha Kemp, David Gains, Peggy Gains, old Sister Drummond, Peter Ball,

Statistics of Siloam Church, 1799-1803.[1]

Year	Ministers	Other messengers to association	Baptized	Recd. by letter	Dismissed	Excluded	Dead	Total members
1799	John Waller	David Gaines	....	....	....	....	..	31
1800	" "	" "	....	4	6	2	....	27
		Charles Foushee	....	....	....	....	....	...
1801			....	....	....	....	....	....
1802		David Gaines	....	....	....	..	....	....
		Larkin Reynolds	....	....	...	..	1	32
1803		James Chiles	2	1	....	....	3	33
				(1 restored)				

[1]*Bethel Association Minutes*

LAURENS COUNTY CHURCHES

Rev. Jacob Roberts organized a church with one hundred and twenty-four members, it is said, four or five miles southeast of present Fountain Inn during 1781, that stormy year of the Revolution, and its history to 1800 fulfilled the auguries of its beginning. So closely were church and pastor identified, that most of the neighboring churches called it Jacob Roberts's Church, or Roberts' Church, but the name from the first was Durbin Creek. A conference of Padgetts Creek members met at Durbin Creek on September 1, 1788, and took under consideration

> the Acting of Jacob Roberts & his Church in their dealing with their Members & Excommunicating them for not hearing the Church concerning the Mother of John Webbs transgression . . . it was the unanimous voice of the Conference that Roberts & his Church was wrong in their acting with their Members — for which cause we had as a Conference to declare against them and their acting.[121]

Under the weight of condemnation, then, Rev. Jacob Roberts appeared at Cedar Springs in 1789 to assist in organizing the Bethel Association, but the new association also condemned him and his church. At his request, the association agreed

Delilah Ball, Daniel Trussel, Elizabeth M. Waller, Patterson Pulliam, Benjamin Drummond, Ann Conner, Doratha Waller, and 5 negroes (only 29).

[121]*Asplund's Reg.*, 5, ed.: C. W. Hood, Historical Facts Gathered and Presented at the Home Coming and Memorial Service, Durbin Creek Church, June 19th, 1921 (MS, Furman University); Padgetts Creek CB, Sept., 1788; Tyger River CB, Sept., 1802; June, 1804; William Chiles was living in Edgefield County with 20 slaves in 1790; it is not known of what church he was a member (*Census*, p. 64); no record of Meshec Overby has been found but persons of the same name were living in Abbeville in about 1800 (Plats, XL, 105)

in 1791 to reconsider his case if he would "resign himself to the counsel and admonition of the association." This he refused to do. He was declared out of union and the churches were advised not to attend his ministry. Durbin Creek supported him, apparently until his death, and remained out of fellowship until 1800, when it gave satisfaction, but did not enter the association until 1803. Its delegates that year were Samuel Brown, Thomas Goodwin, and John Dean, the first two of whom were later ordained to the ministry.[122] Although Durbin Creek was a large church with one hundred and twenty members in 1794 and seventy-two in 1803, it must have sunk to a low state in the years between, as Friendship Church thought it extinct in 1802.[123]

A church called Big Branch Enoree or Big Branch of Enoree River was constituted in 1789 and entered the Bethel

Statistics of Big Branch Enoree Church, 1790-1798.[1]

Year	Ministers	Other messengers to association	Baptized	Recd. by letter	Dismissed	Excluded	Dead	Total members
1790	Drury Sims		....	....	....	....	....	15
1791	" "	Hudson Berry	....	....	....	....	....	15
1792	" "	" "	....	4	....	....	....	18
1793	" "	William Austin	....	1	....	1	....	19
1794		Joseph Wilbanks	1	2	....	....	....	22
1795	" "	Hudson Berry	....	....	6	1	....	15
1796	" "	" "	....	....	....	....	....	....
		Joseph Wilbanks	2	....	....	....	....	17
1797	" "	William Austin	....	1	1	....	....	17
1798	" "	Joseph Wilbanks	....	....	4	....	....	13
1799	(Extinct)		....	....	....	....	....	....

[1]1790 from *Asplund's Register*, 3. ed.; all other years from *Bethel Association Minutes*.

[122]*Bethel Assoc. Min.*, 1891, 1800, 1803; Hood, Historical Facts (MS, Furman University); Rev. Jacob Roberts was living in Laurens County with 3 slaves in 1790 (*Census*, p. 75); his will made Jan. 3, 1804, signed by mark, proved April 15, 1806, mentions wife Mary, daughters Allemon Brown, Elesabeth Meadows, Sarah Gilbert, Morah (Mary?) Roberts, and sons John Roberts, Isaac Roberts, Jacob Roberts, Th[illegible] Roberts (Laurens County PC, Wills C-1, p. 217); Thomas Goodwin, ordained at Durbin Creek in 1805, was living in Laurens County without slaves in 1790, his estate being administered there in 1831 (*ibid.*, Box 27, pkg. 10; *Census*, p. 75); Samuel Brown, also ordained at Durbin Creek in 1805, was probably living either in Greenville or Newberry County in 1790 without slaves; his death is announced as occurring on Sept. 15, 1832 (Hood, Historical Facts (MS, Furman University); *Census*, pp. 70, 79; *Reedy River Assoc. Min.*, 1832).

[123]*Asplund's Reg.*, 5. and 6. ed.; *Bethel Assoc. Min.*, 1803; Tyger River CB, Sept., 1802; Asplund states that Durbin Creek was in a declining situation on account of peculiarities in 1794.

Association in 1791, having for its pastor Rev. Drury Sims. His connection with the congregation must have ended in 1798, as the association appointed supplies for them in that year. The membership was small and generally decreasing. In 1799 the church disappeared from the association records, probably combining with Horse Creek Church to form Fork Shoal, or dismissing its few remaining members to that church and to Brushy Creek.[124]

Organized about 1788, possibly from Durbin Creek, Upper Duncans Creek Church, or Upper Church on Duncans Creek, was probably a constituent of the Bethel Association, though it may have entered in 1790. The only minister they had during the early years was Rev. Joshua Palmer, who came to them in 1793. In November, 1794, Padgetts Creek Church sent Brother Mordecai Chandler to Upper Duncans Creek to conduct "a piece of Business in regard to Br. Palmer's affairs in the Year past." The church occasionally exchanged help with Friendship. The congregation secured incorporation in 1794 under the name Upper Baptist Church on Duncans Creek. John Brown is said to have been a candidate for the ministry in 1790-1792, and Reuben Kelly was a licentiate in 1803, when tremendous revival effects appeared.[125]

[124]*Asplund's Reg.*, 5. and 6. ed.; *Bethel Assoc. Min.*, 1791-98.

[125]*Asplund's Reg.*, 3. and 5. ed.; Asplund gives in 1790 a second Durbin Creek Church, which, from position and figures, might have been Upper Duncans Creek, but this might also be merely one of Asplund's numerous errors; *Bethel Assoc. Min.*, 1791-1803; Padgetts Creek CB, Nov., 1794; Tyger River CB, Sept., 1801; McCord (ed.), *Statutes*, VIII, p. 186; Laurens County CC, Deeds N, p. 152; a deed by Henry Langston [illegible] James G. Robinson, to 5[illegible]¼ acres "whereon the house of said church now stands" was made to Upper Duncans Creek in 1836; the church is now known as Langston; Joshua Palmer emigrated from England, settling first in the Lower Fork of Lynches Creek region, appearing in the Charleston Association by 1785; he obtained surveys of 150, 100, and 1[illegible] acres in 1785 and 1786 on or near Lynches Creek; he was living in Cheraws District without slaves in 1790; after serving as minister of Lower Fork of Lynches Creek and an active delegate to the Charleston Association 1789-92, he appeared in Bethel Association as minister of Upper Duncans Creek Church 1793-1808, when he left for Indiana with a large number of his congregation and was pastor of Dry Fork Church, Whitewater Association, in 1812, dying before 1835; he was an eloquent but uneducated preacher, of singular manner and no pride, zealous in performing all associational functions and in helping such neighboring churches as Padgetts Creek, Durbin Creek, Friendship, Poplar Springs, and Lower Duncans Creek (from all available evidence and dates of service, the Joshua Palmer who served Charleston Association was the same as the Joshua Palmer who served Bethel Association, although there was a Joshua Palmer in Union County in 1790; *Reedy River Assoc. Min.*, 1835; *Charleston Assoc. Min.*, 1785; 1789-92; Plats, VIIq, 91; XXIIIq, 202; XXVq, 228; *Census*, pp. 45, 91; *Bethel Assoc. Min.*, 1793-1808; Padgetts Creek CB, 1794, 1799; Poplar Spring CB, June, 1803, June, Dec., 1804); June, 1796; Apr., 1797; Tyger River CB, July, 1801; June, 1802, John Brown had a survey on Millers Branch of Duncans Creek in 1767, and another

Padgetts Creek maintained cordial relations with Fairforest, Tyger River, and Upper Duncans Creek Churches. As the revival advanced, Rev. John Putman formed a branch at the meeting house near him; Rev. Spencer Bobo was privileged, "with as many Members as he thinks fit, to open a Door for Experience & Receive Members about where he lives," and the church met frequently at the river, at the bridge, and

Patty Curtis, Amey Darnal, Morgan Darnal, Anne Dillard, George Divine, Jesse Dodd, Mary Dodd, William Dodd, Betty Duncan, James Duncan, Judith Edmonson, Hannah Fincher, Mary Fincher, Peggy Finny, David Floyd, Elizabeth Floyd, Jean Floyd, Susanna Gamblen, William Gamblen, Edward Garret, Elizabeth Garret, Joab Garret, Alley Garrot, Henry Garrot, Joseph Garrot, Priscilla Garrot, Robert Gilla, Amey Goodwin, Delilah Goodwin, Nancy Goodwin, Nathan Granger, Betty Greer, Caleb Greer, Carleton Greer, James Greer, Joshua Greer, Rachel Greer, Robert Greer, Sally (Sarah) Greer, Thomas Greer, Jr., and Sr., William Greer, Mary Gregory, Robert Gregory, Betsey Haddock, James Haddock, Rebekah Hall (Hale), Moses Hains, Sarah Harling, Jemima Harras, Hizziah Hart, Joseph Hart, Phoebe Hays, Samuel Hays, James Head, Thomas Head, Anne Hendrix, Ruth High, Hosea Holcombe, Jesse Holcombe, Philip Holcombe, Sarah Holcombe, Joseph Hollingsworth, James Hollis, Sarah Hopkins, Avery Howard, Betsey Howard, Hannah Howard, Harmon Howard, James Howard, Jesse Howard, John Howard, Lettice Howard, Mary Howard, Elisha Hunt, Lewis Hunt, John Ingrum, Betsey Jackson, Cassy Jackson, Delilah Jackson, Delilah Jackson, Jr., Frederick Jackson, Jr., and Sr., John Jackson, Mark Jackson, Mary Jackson, Nancy Jackson, Nathaniel Jackson, Patty Jackson, Ralph Jackson, Sarah Jackson, William Jackson, Eleanor Johnson, Thomas Johnson, Delilah Jones, Sarah Jones, John Kelly, Joseph Kelly, Susanna Kelly (wife of Joseph), Betsey Lamb, Catharine Lamb, Robert Lamb, William Lamb, Absalom Lancaster, Katharine Langston, Nathan Langston, Peter Laurence, Jr., and Sr., Seitha Lawson, Susanna Lawson, Anne Little, Joseph Little, Patty Little, Samuel Little, Rebecca Littlefields, William Littlefields, John Lucas, George McClain, Daniel Malone, Elizabeth Malone, Mary (Polly?) Martindale, Richard Mayfield, Hamer Mitchell and wife, Archer Muckle, Sarah Muckle, Bird Murphy, Charlotte Murphy, Mark Murphy, Sion Murphy, Susanna Murphy, Betsey Murrell, Nancy Murrell, Franky Newman, William Newman, George Night., Sarah Night, Aaron Nix, Benjamin Nix, Joseph Nix, Milly Nix, Moses Nix, Rebecca Nix, Solomon Nix, Betsey Norman, David Norman, Jesse Norman, John Norman, Jonathan Norman, Judith Norman, Patty Norman, Polly Norman, Thomas Norman, William Norris, William Palmer, Enoch Pearson, Tabitha Pearson, William Pearson, Martha Peek, James Penny, John Penny, Anne Polk, Betsey Polk, Rachel Polk, Humphrey Posey and wife, John Powel, James Powers, Nathaniel Powers, Mary Prewit, Oney Prewit, Amey Prince, Betty Prince, Edith Prince wife of Richard, Edward Prince, James Prince, Joseph Prince, Josiah Prince, Mary Prince, Richard Prince, Sarah Prince, Sisley Prince, William Prince, Amey Putman, Barnet Putman, Betty Putman, Edith Putman, Eleanor Putman, Heiram Putman, James Putman, John Putman, Joice Putman, Joseph Putman, Sarah Putman, Thomas Putman and wife, Ambrose Ray, Elizabeth Ray, Hosea Ray, Polly Ray, Sarah Ray, Thomas Ray, William Ray, Sr., Joseph Reeder, Mary Reeder, Rev. Jacob Roberts, Alley Robinson, Christopher Robinson, Sealy Rogers, Woodson Rountree, Thomas Scales, Lewis Shelton, Betsey Sibley, Anne Simmons, Carpenter Simmons, Polly Simmons, Sarah Simmons, Susanna Simmons wife of Paton, Samuel Simpson, Sarah Simpson, Caleb Smith, Dicy Smith, James Smith, John Smith, Jr., Polly Smith, William Smith, Elizabeth Sparks, John Sparks, Amey Spillers, James Spillers, Joseph Springer and wife, Benjamin Stone, Anne White, Milley White, Moses White and wife, Polly White, Robert White, William White, Sarah Whitlock, Susanna Whitlock, Anne Wilbanks, Avey Wilbanks, Gillam Wilbanks, Hosea Wilbanks, Isaac Wilbanks, Joseph Wilbanks, Shadrack Wilbanks, Susanna Wilbanks, William Wilbanks, Jr. and Sr., James Willard and wife Winny, John Williams, Rachel Williams, David Wimpy, Polly Wise (or Win), Wiot Wood and wife, Anne Woodson, Betty Woodson, Mary Woodson, Phoebe Woodson, Polly Woodson, Robert Woodson, Thomas Woodson, Elizabeth Yarbrough, Lewis Yarbrough, Betty Young, Rebecca Young.

at Padgetts Creek meeting house.[152]

Statistics of Padgetts Creek Church, 1790-1803.[1]

Year	Ministers	Other messengers to association	Baptized	Recd. by letter	Dismissed	Excluded	Dead	Total members
1790			....	....	....	....	....	44
1791		William Wilbanks	....	....	....	....	....	....
		Nathaniel Jackson	....	....	1	3	1	49
1792		John Putman	....	....	....	....	....	....
		William Wilbanks	....	....	....	....	....	....
		Thomas Greer	6	13	1	1	....	66
1793		John Putman (L)	....	....	....	....	....	....
		William Wilbanks	1	2	....	4	....	65
1794	John Putman	" "	1	4	1	....	....	69
1795	" "	Spencer Bobo (L)	1	1	3	....	2	65
1796	" " •	" " •	....	....	....	....	....	....
1797	" " •	" "	....	....	....	....	....	60
1798	" "	" "	1	2	3	1	....	57
1799	" " •	" "	....	....	....	....	....	....
		Thomas Greer (L)	1	....	1	...	1	56
1800	" " •			(1 restored)				
	Spencer Bobo	Nathan Langston	16	14	1	....	....	85
1801	" "			(4 restored)				
		Mordecai Chandler	....	....	....	....	....	....
		William Wilbanks, Sr.	....	....	....	....	....	....
1802	" "		....	....	....	....	....	....
	Thomas Greer		....	....	....	....	....	....
	John Putman*	David Floyd	82	1	5	2	1	259
1803	" "	David Floyd	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Thomas Greer	Jesse Howard	....	....	....	....	....	....
	Spencer Bobo	Mordecai Chandler	338	2	24	10	4	509
		William Wilbanks		(6 restored)				

[1]1790 from *Asplund's Register*. 3. ed.; 1801 from Padgetts Creek Church Book; all other years from *Bethel Association Minutes*.

YORK COUNTY CHURCHES

Little is known of Catawba Church. It was located between Rock Hill and Catawba, and was also called Ellisons Creek and

[152]Frederick Crowder (Crowther) had a survey of 150 acres on the north side of Tyger River in 1784 in Union County where he was living without slaves in 1790; he was out of fellowship with Padgetts Creek Church for more than six years, during which time he was in Ga., but returned, made confession, and was restored to fellowship in 1796; he served Vans Creek Church, Elbert County, in 1800, and Mt. Gilead Church, Okmulgee Association, Ga., in 1810 (Plats, Iq, 206; *Census*, p. 93; Padgetts Creek CE, 1788-1796; *Sarepta Assoc. Min.*, 1800; Benedict, *Baptist History*, II, 535); Rev. John Putman had two surveys, one of 386 acres in 1784 on Sugar Creek, the other of 84 acres in 1807 on Mitchells Creek waters of Fairforest; he was living in Union County without slaves in 1790; a very active minister, he organized a church called Union Brick Meeting House in the deed by which he conveyed it two acres on the Charleston Road and Fairforest Creek in 1819; his will dated June 5, 1818, and proved Dec. 20, 1820, mentions wife Salley and implies several children (Plats, XVIIq, 290; XLV, 72; *Census*, p. 91; Union County CC,

good, nor is he a novice in the mysteries of the kingdom."[181] He preached at three or four places in the country about Augusta and finally became the pastor of a negro church in that city in 1793.[182] Silver Bluff Church must have disappeared or have become a branch of the Augusta Church after Jesse Galphin began to work in Georgia.

[181]Letter from Rev. Abraham Marshall, in *ibid.*, p. 545.

[182]*Ibid.*, p. 541; Benedict, *Baptist History*, II, 193; "Tennent's Journal," in *YBC*, 1894, p. 398, mentions Mrs. "Gophin's" settlement below Augusta near Beach Island.

CHAPTER VI

BACK COUNTRY ASSOCIATIONS

The post-Revolutionary revival is epitomized in the constitution and progress of the Bethel Association. Its constitutent churches lay to the northwest of Columbia and in neighboring parts of North Carolina. Exactly what conditions influenced them and which of them proposed an association are not known, but the organization began at a meeting at Cedar Spring Church in 1789. The first minutes found are those of 1791, and if position on the list of churches is an indication, the constituents were White Oak, Bills Creek, Sandy Run, and Mountain Creek in North Carolina, and Buffalo, Tyger River, Reedy Fork, Buck Creek, Head of Enoree, Fairforest, Padgetts Creek, Big Creek, Genestie, Horse Creek (Fork Shoal), Cedar Spring, and Upper Duncans Creek. However, there is some doubt of this, as the church at Dirty Creek, reported in 1791 as dissolving itself in a very disorderly manner, might have been a constituent, and Jacob Roberts' church at Durbin Creek must have sought admission, but charges laid against Jacob Roberts either prevented his church's entrance or caused it to be put out of the union.[1]

The time of meeting of the new association having been fixed in the month of August, they opened communication in their first year with the Charleston Association, which records:

> A letter and minutes were received from the Bethel association lately formed in the back parts of this State, by their messenger Rev. James Fowler; requesting correspondence and union with us. This association consists of sixteen churches. Appointed the Rev. Messrs. James Fowler, Henry Holcom, Gabriel Gerrald and Mr. Peter Bainbridge to attend their next meeting, the second Saturday in August 1790, to endeavour an union of the two associations into one.[2]

This was evidently an unwelcome proposition to the newly formed and ambitious body in the back country, for in 1790

> The messengers from Bethel Association, representing, that obstacles were in the way of forming the two associations into one, which that body considered as of some importance; [Charleston Association] agreed

[1]*Bethel Assoc. Min.*, 1791; the account is from minutes 1791-1803, with the exception of 1801, which year has not been found.

[2]*Charleston Assoc. Min.*, 1789.

The appointment of supplies to vacant churches was carefully attended to from the first. The association met requests for help in settling difficulties within the membership of a church or between two congregations by the appointment of committees, occasionally by letter.

Queries from the churches covered the whole field of faith and practice. The duties and conduct of ministers proved disturbing. As early as 1791 the question had come before the association as to whether restoration to the privileges of exhortation should be allowed after exommunication for gross and scandalous crimes, and again in 1793 a church inquiring about the reinstatment of a minister once guilty of atrocious crime was advised by the association to proceed with great caution and to call in help in such cases. Ordination to pastoral charge only and the right of a church or association to impose restrictions on a licensed minister's going out to preach received attention in 1791. In addition to the particular answers given, the association proposed the appointment of a committee on ordination, but the matter was laid over. The cases of Rev. Jacob Roberts and Rev. Hezekiah Walker had been taken up in 1790. Roberts was declared out of union in 1791 and the brethren of the association advised not to attend his ministry; the case of Walker was dropped. In 1791 the churches were warned against the preaching of William Bennett, "under sentence of excommunication by an orderly church in North-Carolina," and in 1792 against Joseph Williams, a disorderly preacher. A report of 1792 on ordination of ministers called for clearest evidences of real piety and gifts and the calling in of three, or at least two, reputable ministers to assist. That all the difficulties had not yet been met appears from a question in 1803 as to a pastor's serving more than one church at a time. The consistent policy and advice of the association standardized practice in ordination, steadied the conduct of weak ministers, and soon purged its churches of unworthy or hypocritical pastors. Rev. James Fowler's circular letter for 1793 calls attention to the blessedness of ministers and those who are employed in the things of God, and closes with a fervent

plea for support of the association's policies.

Relations with non-members or members of other denominations gave considerable trouble. When asked if members should be laid under censure on the testimony of non-members, the association replied in the affirmative with qualifications. Fairforest in 1793 asked whether rebaptism should be required of immersed pedobaptists admitted on faith. The association referred the question to a special committee, and after long consideration finally disagreed with the report of the committee advising the churches to admit such members without rebaptism. Brush Creek Church inquired in 1795 whether it is disorderly to commune with other denominations; the answer was emphatically yes. The question in slightly different form recurred in 1797, and was put before the association by two churches in 1802 when the intermingling of various denominations at revival meetings was causing uncertainty on the subject. The position of the association was steadily maintained. Bethel also declared non-fellowship in 1790 with those members holding universal salvation. Clouds Creek Church in 1797 brought up a peculiar point by asking whether a man was eligible to the office of deacon if his wife were a non-professor, the association properly replying that a man's position in the church should depend upon his moral character, not his wife's beliefs.

Miscellaneous questions included two on financial matters, the churches being advised that a member conveying his property out of his hands to defeat his creditors was out of fellowship, and that though five might constitute a church, ability to support such constitution should decide; two on marriage, the association declaring that a man with two wives must not be admitted to the church, and that a man's marriage to his deceased wife's sister was by Scripture inadvisable but not forbidden. The association also decided that Reverend is a fitting title but Brother is more Scriptural: that a majority is generally sufficient for decision in church affairs, as unanimity is too difficult to secure, and that all of the books of the Old and the New Testaments are of divine revelation.

Ref.
Laurens Baptist Association Minutes 1950-1959

find no record of any religious work; possibly he migrated.

Joshua Palmer was an Englishman of limited education but of considerable ability, and "a stranger to pride." He was pastor at Upper Duncans Creek about 18 years and about the same time at Warrior Creek, also for a short period at both Beaverdam and Durbin Creek, and was also active in the association. In 1808 he moved to Union county, Ind., where he organized a church.

Reuben Kelly was ordained at Warrior Creek in 1803 and was co-pastor there with Joshua Palmer several years; he was also co-pastor at Durbin Creek three years. He moved west in 1808.

Spencer Bobo's work at Upper Duncans Creek was probably only temporary or in meetings. He served jointly at Durbin Creek with two others for three years. He lived in Spartanburg county and most of his work was there. In his will he gave a sum of money to New Hope and other churches to be used for various charities and the furthrance of the Gospel, "excepting teaching men to preach which I think God knows best who to call and will provide for their instruction."

Jacob Roberts was ordained at the time of the constitution of Durbin Creek church and was its pastor until his resignation in 1801 account of ill health. He or another of the same name baptized Spencer Bobo. Unfortunately he was out of fellowship with the association until the last year of his ministry. He was the grandfather of Rev. Joshua Gilbert of a later generation; members of his family have been valuable members of 1st Fountain Inn and 1st Simpsonville churches.

Little is known of Drury Simms the only pastor of Big Branch of Enoree; he may have been the one who was in Chatham County, N. C. or one who was at Turkey Creek for a time.

While Arthur Durham was not an ordained preacher, it appears that he was the founder of Poplar Springs church and probably led the services there about nine years. Possibly he became a preacher after moving away.

David Green lived near Poplar Springs church and was head of a family of nine with five slaves in 1790. After licensing him to preach, Turkey Creek church decided he did not have the necessary qualifications and "we think it most to the glory of God to stop him from trying to preach." He was ordained at Poplar Springs in 1803 and served as pastor about one year and then moved to Miss.

Charles Crow was ordained at Bush River church and was its pastor from 1809 until his removal to Ala., in 1819; he was pastor at Upper Duncans Creek during the same period.

Thomas Weathers was authorized by Bethabara church in 1811 to preach to the peoples of the Mulberry community, now Walnut Grove, Greenwood county. He was ordained at Mt. Pleasant in 1816 and dropped out of the Laurens county records. He was possibly the one who was a member and possibly pastor of Unity church, Spartanburg District, just after this a few years; he then organized Bethesda church, Spartanburg District, and was its pastor until 1829; then a Thomas Weathers was pastor of New Bethel church York county from 1830 until he died in 1833. His family continues in Laurens county.

"Not by might, nor by power, but by my Spirit, saith the Lord of hosts."

p. 41...WIT: David Caldwell Jr., Arch Holte, Owen Fuller.

RIDDLE John--Wife Mary...Sons: Harris, Newton, Melmouth, Berry, Fealden...Daus : Catherine Garner, Elizabeth w. of Elihu Garrett; Mary w. of John Cannery; Matilda C...19 Aug. 1850--6 July 1855...Bk. A, p. 209...EXR: Berry Riddle, Wm. Power...WIT: Reubin, Jeremiah, Fountain & Benjamin Martin.

ROBERSON John--Sons: Reubin, Toliver, John with w. Marah, also Menoah, William Barnett appear to be sons...Daus: Fanny, Peggy, Polly, Melley...23 Feb. 1802--19 Nov. 1803...Bk. A, p. 321.

ROBERTS Jacob--Sons: John, Isaac, Jacob, Thomas...Daus: Elizabeth Meadows, ?Allemon Brown, Sarah Gilbert, Morah Roberts, Claresy, Copey Gilbert dec'd & her chn. viz. Miledy & Lucinda...EXR: Wife Mary, Isaac Roberts, John Meadows...3 Jan. 1804--15 Apr. 1806...Bk. C-1, p. 217...WIT: David & Jno. Wright, Ezekiel Griffin.

ROBERTS James--Sons: James, George...Daus: Susannah, Mary Ann, Patty B., Sally Fuller...EXR: Richard Shackleford, William Bailey...23 Jan. 1801--30 Jan. 1801...Bk. A, p. 272...WIT: A. Rodgers Jr., Zachariah Motes, Peter Roberts.

ROBERTS James--Wife Sarah...Bro. Edward...EXR: Jacob Niswonger, "if he fails then James Crocker"...26 Jan 1816...Bk. D-1, p. 326...WIT: Jacob Niswonger, Wm. McFerson, James Crocker.

ROBERTSON Manoah--Wife Loucreacy...2 min. daus...EXR: William Owings...18 Nov. 1844--9 Dec. 1844...Bk. F, p. 55...WIT: John Garrett, Mary Owings, E. Hilton.

ROBIRSON William--Sons: John, Thomas, Robert, ?Isor...EXR: Friends Fred Burts, Wm. Green...1 Mch. 1812--21 Mch. 1812...Bk. D-1, p. 69...WIT: John & Joseph Cook, David Caldwell.

RODGERS Andrew--Sons: Abner, Andrew & his dau. Peggy Young; chn of my son William; chn of son John...Dau. Anna Frier...EXR: Son Abner...7 Dec. 1820--3 Sept. 1821...Bk. F, p. 175...WIT: James & Matthew Henry, John Leek.

RODGERS John--Wife Sally...Chn: James L., Lavinia Brownlee, Tabitha w. of Berry Martin, Jane...EXR: Son James, s.l. Thomas Brownlee, friend Charles Allen...20 July 1827--7 Apr. 1828...Bk. F, p. 160...WIT: Wm. Pitts Jr., Mary Reynolds, Henry S. Beadel.

RODGERS Sarah--Son James...Dau. Tabitha...gr.dau. ?Menima Martin...EXR: Friend R. T. Simpson...1 June 1832--20 Aug. 1832...Bk. F, p. 424...WIT: Saml Downs, C. W. & Jonathan Allen.

ROOK William--Wife Elizabeth...Sons: Saml, Thomas I., William...Dau. Catherine w. of Benj. Lyles...1 Feb. 1848--5 Nov. 1850...Bk. A, p. 129...WIT: P. C. Caldwell, Chas. C. Wells, John Suber.

ROSS Catherine--Chn: John, Jane, Sara, Francis, Elizabeth, James youngest...EXR: Son Francis, s.l. William Cowan...11 Oct. 1826--14 Nov. 1826...Bk. F, p. 52...WIT: Samuel Fleming, James & Alex Mills Sr.

ROWLAND Christopher--"personal prop. bewt. all chn"...EXR: Wife Mary, son Robert. 29 Mch. 1796...Bk. A, p. 153...WIT: Silver Walker Sr., Matthew LeFoy, Mary Rowland

ROWLAND Henry B.--"my chn. equal"...EXR: Wife Lettice, John Whitmore...24 Apr. 1828--12 Feb. 1831...Bk. F, p. 325...WIT: James Blackburn, Aaron & John Johnston.

RUNNOLD Joseph--Chn: Polly, Betsy, Anna, Lunorda, William, ?Pearly...EXR: Wife Elizabeth, John Cook...25 Jan. 1815--16 Feb. 1816...Bk. D-1, p. 332...WIT: Reubin

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Roberts:
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Jacob / Mary (Morah or Marey)

Second Generation
Isaac / Mary Ann Burchfield

Third Generation
Starling / Margret M. Smith

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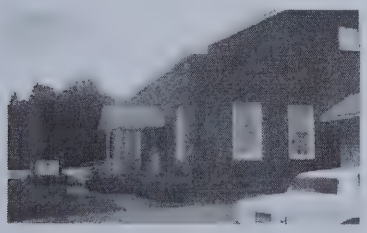
M. Bains / Susan Ellen Harris

Resources

Our grandfather, **Jacob Roberts**, founded Durbin Creek Baptist Church in 1781 in Lauren County, SC.and served as its first pastor until his death in 1804.



Durbin Creek Baptist is located about four miles southeast of Fountain Inn, SC.

First Generation

Jacob Roberts was living in Laurens County with three slaves in 1790 (Census, p. 73)

South Carolina Baptists, Post-Revolutionary Revival, pp. 225-226:

Laurens County Churches

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Under the weight of condemnation, then, Rev. Jacob Roberts appeared at Cedar Springs in 1789 to assist in organizing the Bethel Association, but the new association also condemned him and his church. At his request, the association agreed in 1791 to reconsider his case if he would "resign himself to the counsel and admonition of the association." This he refused to do. He was declared out of union and the churches were advised not to attend his ministry. Durbin Creek supported him, apparently until his death, and remained out of fellowship until 1799, when it gave satisfaction, but did not enter the association until 1803. Its delegates that year were Samuel Brown, Thomas Goodwin, and John Dean, the first two of whom were later ordained to the ministry.122

Although Durbin Creek was a large church with 124 member in 1794 and 72 in 1803, it must have sunk to a low state in the years between, as Friendship Church thought it extinct in 1802.123

The above info may have also come from *South Carolina Baptists.*

Will of **Jacob Roberts**

In the Name of God Amen--

I **Jacob Roberts** of the Diftrict of Laurens and State of South Carolina being

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Sent: Monday, May 22, 2006 11:01 PM
To: 'PRINCE-L@rootsweb.com'
Subject: RE: [PRINCE-L] More Laurens County SC to Livingston County KY

I recently ran across some info researching Laurens County SC, and
noticed that it ties into several of the names noted in the mail Ethel
had forwarded with Gale's notes:

MITCHUSSON and MARCHBANKS from Laurens County SC to Livingston County
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pastor...However, the churches that called him were dismissed from the
Association."
[Baptists in S.C. to 1806, by Leah Townsend]

==1785 [26 Jan] James Gibson wheelright of Roan Co, NC sold to Jacob
Roberts a plantation for shillings (Lease), 50 acres on North Fork of
Durbins Creek bordering land of James Moore. Wit: Alexr. Harper, Joseph
Barton, Wm Mitchusson, J.P. [November 27, 1806]
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[Laurens County Deed Book H, p. 175.]
Same time, and same to same for shillings (Lease), 100 acres adj. above on N. Fk. Durbin's Cr. bordering on Alexr Harper & Ezekiel Griffith. Same Wit., Probate, and page in Deed book.
Abstracts of Early Records of Laurens Co., SC 1785-1820, Sara M. Nash, p. 267]

==1787 S.C. Land Grant to JOHN MITCHESON 066, Vol. 19 LG1787.
[NOTE: The John Mitchusson who was the son of Col. William Mitchusson would have been 7 years old at this time. This likely is a brother to Col. William and his brother Edward.]

==1790 I did not find John Mitchusson in 1790 Federal Census of Laurens Co., SC--or elsewhere.

==1792 [27 April] William Mitchusson bought land bounded by John Mitchusson's land. Grants:
--50 Acres surveyed 21 Aug 1794, in Ninety-six District on Peter's Creek of Enoree River, bounded by lands of Isaac [?Towers], Akines, John Mitchuson.
[SC State Grants, Vol., 41, p. 53; SC Plats, Vol., 33, p. 20.]
--21 Acres surveyed 22 Aug 1794, in Ninety-six District on Gilder's Creek of Enoree River, bounded by lands of John Mitchuson, John Peeks, Wiliam Mitchuson.
[SC State Grants, Vol., 41, p. 55; SC Plats, Vol., 33, p. 22.]

==1800, said, likely mistakenly, that JACOB ROBERTS died before this year, when his church eased its opposition to the local association of Bapotist churches from which it had been severed in 1791, due to Roberts' excommunication of certain members.
[A History of South Carolina Baptists, Joe M. King, The General Board of the S.C. Baptist Assoc., 1964, p. 113,114]
==1800 [23 Oct] William Mitchusson's second son, John Mitchusson, born in 1780, likely married Rachel Thompson in Livingston Co., KY.

===1802 John Mitcherson from Livingston Co., KY sells 150 acres in Greenville Co., S.C.
Greenville Co., S.C. Deed Books Index, 1787-1802, Expanded edition, Robertalee Lent, p. 86.]
[NOTE: This appears to be the John who was brother to Col. William and Edward.]

==1803 [12 Feb] John Mitchusson commissioned Captain of Cavalry, 55th Regiment, Livingston Co., Kentucky "Corn Stalk" Militia.
The "Corn Stalk" Militia of Kentucky 1792-1811, Livingston Co. Regiments, Glenn Clift, p. 115]

==1806 [15 Apr] JACOB ROBERTS deceased. Will proved by Daniel Right and Ezekiel Griffith. John Meador and wife Marey Roberts named as executors. The will mentions Jacob's children, including Clearcy [probably Clarissey] Roberts.
[See box below for full transcription of this will.]
[Laurens Co., Will Book C-1, p. 217]

NOTE: Jacob Roberts' 1804 Will explicitly refers to his daughter as Clarrisey Roberts. However, by 1816/1817 additional legal dealings with the estate explicitly refer to John D. Mitcheson as Clarrisey's husband. Apparently John and Clarrisey were married sometime between 1804-1816/1817. This raises a question. Given John's likely age, was Clarrisey his second wife? If so, who was his first wife, and what happened to her? Was her name Lucretia? One source I have maintains that Edward F. Mitchusson was born 23 Feb 1812, and that Jacob Robert Mitchusson was born 4 Jan 1814.

==1809 [24 Oct] Legatees of JACOB ROBERTS decd (Frances Brown of Rutherford Co., NC, John Meadows, John Gilbert, John Roberts, Josiah Dean, Isaac Roberts, Jacob Roberts, Thos Roberts, JOHN D. MITCHUSSON) to Mrs. Mary Roberts widow of said J.R. decd for $100, 179 acres on North Fork of Durbins Creek. 1) 100 acres original grant to Wm. Gibson 2) adjacent 79 acres original grant to Ezekiel Griffith, both conv to J. R. decd. Wit: Micajah & Caleb Hughes, T. Parks, J. P. [June 4, 1810]

[Laurens County Deed Book J., p. 153]
==1809 [4 Dec] Isaac Roberts to John Pugh for $578.27, mortgage on negro woman Rose & child Susannah, also all goods & chattels coming to me from estate of J.R. decd. Wit: Wm. Gilbert, JOHN D. MITCHUSSON, Thomas Parks, J. P.
[Laurens County Deed Book J., p. 155]

==1816 or 1817 [25 Dec] JACOB ROBERTS decd. Return of estate: each legatee's part, debts due for Isaac & John Roberts, amounts paid A. Young, Henry Thrailkill, James Ford, John Pugh, John Meadors. To Mrs. Marey Roberts the widow having recd the old plantation not entitled to any other part. Paid Walter Austin, husband of Matilda Gilbert; John Akin husband of Lucinda Gilbert; Isaac Roberts his share; Josiah Deen husband of Polley, JOHN D. MITCHESON, husband of Clarifsey; Thomas Roberts his share; Jacob Roberts his sh; John Roberts his share; paid Fielder Brown ad of Ellender Brown decd; paid John Gilbert husband of Sarah; paid Marey R. widow of Jacob Roberts her share; retained my own as husband of Elizabeth. Each share $555.39. Ex: John Medor.
[Laurens Co., Will Book D-1, p. 355.]
==1816 [2 Dec]-1817 [25 Jan] Sarah Burton to Edwd Burton and John Lausin (of LD) and Seborn Lomax of Abbeville Dist D.R. on 1/3 of above tr owned by Robt Burton decd. B. by Henry Brockman, Edwd Pugh, Danl McKie, JOHN D. MITCHERSON, Jacob Roberts.
Wit: Thos Taylor, James Bond. Pr: B. Arnold [JP?]
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Wit: Arch Young, Saml Parks. Pr: Thos Parks, JP.
[Laurens Co., SC, Deed Book K, p. 157.]

3 January 1804 Will of Jacob Roberts

In the name of God, Amen. I Jacob Roberts of the District of Laurens and State of South Carolina, being in a declining state of body, but of sound and perfect judgment, do make constitute and ordain this my last will and testament. Revoking all other by me made, that is to say. Toutihing [sp?] the worley goods that it haith been pleased God to bless me with. It is my will that hole of my estate both real and personnalley, remain and continue in the possession of my beloved wife, Marey Roberts for the purpose of raising and educating my youngest children, or during their widowhood. But in case of her intoranmarridge it is my will that hole of my estate, both real and personnalley, be sold at the discration of my Executors, hereafter to be named, giving such timeley credits, as will be eaqualey divided -- My Beloved wife Marah Roberts to have equal [?Maiety] with my children to it-- My daugher Allemon Brown, Elizabeth Meadowes, Sarah Gilbert, and son John Roberts, and Marey Roberts, Isaac Roberts, Joel Roberts, Thomas Roberts, Cleasurey Roberts, and my daughter Cassy Gilbert is dead and has left two children to it Mitildy Gilbert, Susin Clay Gilbert. My will is that they have on they have one childs[?] part to be equally divided between them when they come of age and in case my wife does cause to dispose of any of my personnal estate to any of my children before a division shall take place it is my will that the property so disposed of shall be valued and that the value thereof shall be kept in a book already provided for that purpose and that it shall be as so [?much] of thire eaqual parts agreeable to a eaqual distribution and it is also my will that at any time after my death if my Executor conseves my estate to be in a [?waisting] situation for want of due care that they proseed to the [?sale] of the same in order to secure the same for the purpose mentioned. As and lastly I appoint my well beloved wife Marey Roberts Executor and my friend John Middows and my son Isaac Roberts Executors of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I have here unto set my hand and seal this 3rd day of January, 1804.
Signed in presents of: David Wright, John Roberts, Ezekel Griffey (his -- mark) by Jacob (X) Roberts (his mark).
[Recorded in Will Book C-1, Page 217, Proven date April 15, 1806.

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June 1999, another from Gale:

Extracts Caldwell Co,KY,Court Order Bk.C, 1818:

p. 239--
Edward MITCHUSSON Rev. Vet. enl'd 1776 Col. Isaac
HUGER's Corps of Cont. troops under Capt. Frances PRINCE at
Charleston.

Extracts Caldwell Co,KY,Court Order Bk.A, 1818:

A note of land title transfer dated Nov. 24, 1801 from
Amasa IVES...describedas "lying in Livingston County on the dry fork of
Eddy
Creek adjoining the lands of Johnston MARCHBANKS and Wm.
GILKEY Sr.," also
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B. HOBERT.".....

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Genealogy of Dr. Edward F. Mitchusson

It has been said that Edward was the child of JOHN DRURY MITCHUSSON and LUCRETIA ROBERTS. Edward's siblings were:

--LUCRETIA KEVIL MITCHUSSON born 25 June 1810 and died February 5, 1896 in Rockdale, Texas. On 16 September 1830 she married Drury Mitchusson Kevil who was born 25 December 1808 and died 18 October 1898 in Rockdale, Texas. Their children are said to have been:
------William Kevil [d: Eddyville, KY]
------Uriah L. Kevil [b: 9 Mar 1839; d: 28 Jul 1923]--m: America A. Gore [b: 18 Oct 1848; 10 May 1923]. Both Uriah and America were buried at Norton, Texas.
------Jessie P. Kevil [b: 22 Feb 1847; d: Dec 1938]--m: Sarah Jane George Davis [b: 12 Oct 1858, TN; d: 1941. She was the widow of Dr. V. Davis.
------Mary Kevil
------Millie Kevil

--JACOB ROBERT MITCHUSSON born 4 January 1814 and died in 1849. He married Elizabeth (Betsy) Connell, born 1814 in Alabama. Jacob was considered an heir of his brother by the state of Texas. Jacob was a merchant in Lockhart, Texas. On a trip to New Orleans to buy merchandise he contracted cholera in a house he stayed in, then inadvertently brought it home to his wife. Nine days after his return, Jacob died. Nine days after his death, his wife Elizabeth died of it. They are said to be buried in Lockhart. They left children William Edward Mitchusson, age 7, and Mary Elizabeth Mitchusson, age 5, who were then raised by their mother's younger sister, Mary Ann Connell Wills (Mrs. Wilson Wills).
------*William Edward Mitchusson* was born 12 November 1842. He died 20 April 1917 and was buried at Bartlett, Texas. On 9 January 1870 he married Margaret Ivy Conoley in Milam County. She was born 7 April 1851. At the age of 19 William enlisted as a volunteer, serving 4 years in the Confederate Army, and he was wounded in a skirmish. William served as Sheriff of Milam County. About 1900 William and his wife moved to Bartlett. Margaret was born in the frame building which housed the First Texas Legislature in West Columbia in 1846. She was the daughter of Rev. Malcolm Campbell Conoley, a Presbyterian minister and teacher. The minister and his family embarked for Texas on a sailing vessel from Wilmington, NC.
------*Mary Elizabeth Mitchusson* was born 24 February 1844 and died 4 November 1909. She was buried at El Paso, Texas. Her husband was Henry Bishop Elliott who was born 6 March 1840 and died 21 November 1875. He was buried at Camp Bowie, Arizona.

Elizabeth Connell and her sister Mary Ann were children of Sampson Connell Sr. who was born 1783 in TN and died 28 July 1847 in Washington Co., Texas. Sampson married Millie Cook who was born 1783 in TN and died 14 August 1834 in Bastrop Co., Texas. Sampson moved to Alabama from TN. He lived 6 years in Memphis. He moved to Texas in March 1818 and settled at Independence, Washington Co., Texas. Sampson was the Wagon Master at the Battle of San Jacinto on 21 April 1836. He was issue a head right certificate by Bastrop Colunty Board on 14 September 1838 for his service and was given 640 acres of land. His son, Sampson Connell Jr., was appointed Administrator of his estate in 1847. Sampson Sr. lived at Lochart, Texas at the time of his death and is buried there. Other children were: William, David Cook, James, George.

Dr. Edward F. Mitchusson's Parents & Grandparents
South Carolina records in Teal

Edward F. Mitchusson's mother, LUCRETIA ROBERTS [also known as Clarissa/Clarissey??], appears to have been the daughter of a noteworthy Baptist minister, named REV. JACOB ROBERTS. Dr. Edward's father appears to have been JOHN DRURY MITCHUSSON, a son of William and Lucretia Mitchusson, and brother to Col. William and Edward Mitchusson. Here's what I have found:

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> *Jacob Roberts was an early Baptist minister in old 96 Distict. He shows in Laurens County in the 1790 Census where he was pastor of several Baptist Churches including Durbin Creek Church...Old Friendship Baptist Church on Tyger River in Spartanburg County was first known as The Jacob Roberts Church for he was the pastor there before and until after the Revolution...Jacob Roberts was excommunicated from the Baptist Church but that did not keep him from continuing to preach and act as pastor...However, the churches that called him were dismissed from the Association."*
> *[Baptists in S.C. to 1806, by Leah Townsend]*

==1785 [26 Jan] James Gibson wheelright of Roan Co, NC sold to Jacob Roberts a plantation for shillings (Lease), 50 acres on North Fork of Durbins Creek bordering land of James Moore. Wit: Alexr. Harper, Joseph Barton, Wm Mitchusson, J.P. [November 27, 1806]
[Laurens County Deed Book H, p. 175.]
Same time, and same to same for shillings (Lease), 100 acres adj. above on N. Fk. Durbin's Cr. bordering on Alexr Harper & Ezekiel Griffith. Same Wit., Probate, and page in Deed book.
Abstracts of Early Records of Laurens Co., SC 1785-1820, Sara M. Nash, p. 267]

==1787 S.C. Land Grant to JOHN MITCHESON 066, Vol. 19 LG1787.
[**NOTE:** The John Mitchusson who was the son of Col. William Mitchusson would have been 7 years old at this time. This likely is a brother to Col. William and his brother Edward.]

==1790 I did not find John Mitchusson in 1790 Federal Census of Laurens Co., SC--or elsewhere.

==1792 [27 April] William Mitchusson bought land bounded by John Mitchusson's land. Grants:
--50 Acres surveyed 21 Aug 1794, in Ninety-six District on Peter's Creek of Enoree River, bounded by lands of Isaac [?Towers], Akines, John Mitchuson.
[SC State Grants, Vol., 41, p. 53; SC Plats, Vol., 33, p. 20.]
--21 Acres surveyed 22 Aug 1794, in Ninety-six District on Gilder's Creek of Enoree River, bounded by lands of John Mitchuson, John Peeks, Wiliam Mitchuson.
[SC State Grants, Vol., 41, p. 55; SC Plats, Vol., 33, p. 22.]

==1800, said, likely mistakenly, that JACOB ROBERTS died before this year, when his church eased its opposition to the local association of Bapotist churches from which it had been severed in 1791, due to Roberts' excommunication of certain members.
[A History of South Carolina Baptists, Joe M. King, The General Board of the S.C. Baptist Assoc., 1964, p. 113,114]
==1800 [23 Oct] William Mitchusson's second son, John Mitchusson, born in 1780, likely married Rachel Thompson in Livingston Co., KY.

===1802 John Mitcherson from Livingston Co., KY sells 150 acres in Greenville Co., S.C.
Greenville Co., S.C. Deed Books Index, 1787-1802, Expanded edition, Robertalee Lent, p. 86.]
[NOTE: This appears to be the John who was brother to Col. William and Edward.]

==1803 [12 Feb] John Mitchusson commissioned Captain of Cavalry, 55th Regiment, Livingston Co., Kentucky "Corn Stalk" Militia.
The "Corn Stalk" Militia of Kentucky 1792-1811, Livingston Co. Regiments, Glenn Clift, p. 115]

==1806 [15 Apr] JACOB ROBERTS deceased. Will proved by Daniel Right and Ezekiel Griffith. John Meador and wife Marey Roberts named as executors. The will mentions Jacob's children, including Clearcy [probably Clarissey] Roberts.
[See box below for full transcription of this will.]
[Laurens Co., Will Book C-1, p. 217]

NOTE: Jacob Roberts' 1804 Will explicitly refers to his daughter as Clarrisey Roberts. However, by 1816/1817 additional legal dealings with the estate explicitly refer to John D. Mitcheson as Clarrisey's husband. Apparently John and Clarrisey were married sometime between 1804-1816/1817. This raises a question. Given John's likely age, was Clarrisey his **second** wife? If so, who was his first wife, and what happened to her? Was her name Lucretia? One source I have maintains that Edward F. Mitchusson was born 23 Feb 1812, and that Jacob Robert Mitchusson was born 4 Jan 1814.

QUESTION: From this point on, there is some confusion as to which references to John Mitchusson are to the brother of Col. William and Edward, and which are to the son of Col. William, born 1780? Unless I am mistaken, it seems that all the references to John D. Mitchusson are to the brother--and presumed father of Edward F. Mitchusson.

==1809 John Mitchuson appears in First Tax List of Caldwell County, Kentucky.
==1809 [May] John Mitchusson sworn in as deputy to County Sheriff John Bearden, Caldwell Co., KY.
==1809 [May] John Mitchusson and John Bearden, securities for William Anderson, administrator of will of Nancy Reynolds deceased--wife of Edward Reynolds.

==1809 [June] Survey of road from southeast corner of John Mitchusson's property in Caldwell Co., KY to Christian Co., KY line on a direction to Palmyra. William Mitchusson Esq. appointed to allot the hands to work on said road.
==1809 [6 June] John Mitchusson and Col. Mitchusson named in accounts of settlement of Edward Reynolds estate in Caldwell Co., KY [pp. 6-7]
==1809 [31 July] John D. Mitchusson to Cassandra Ford, widow of Zadock Ford deceased of Spartanburg Dist for $600, a negro man Ben, 35. Wit: Wm. Shackelford, Thos. Parks, Thomas Parks, J.P.
[Laurens Co., SC Deed Book J, p. 118]
==1809 [31 July] Cassandra Ford to John D. Mitcheson exoneration of any claim should the said Ben be taken on account of supposed charges against him in Livingston Co., KY (of breaking open a chest and stealing money from a certain Wm. Bond, also of burning a barn crib with corn of said Bond) as I have bought him knowing said accusations. Same wit & probate as above.
[Laurens Co., SC Deed Book J, p. 118]

NOTE: It appears that John D. Mitchusson traveled back and forth between KY and SC at this time, having dealings in both states, including the settlement of his father-in-law Jacob Roberts' estate. It's worth noting that a Caldwell Co. Court Inventory of this period says that it was about a 26 day, 500 mile round trip between Caldwell Co., KY and Laurens Dist., SC.

==1809 [Sept] Darlin Reynolds, age 16, son of Edwards Reynolds, made choice of Edward Mitchusson Jr. as guardian. Edward Mitchusson Jr. with John Mitchusson his security entered into a bond.
==1809 [24 Oct] Legatees of JACOB ROBERTS decd (Frances Brown of Rutherford Co., NC, John Meadows, John Gilbert, John Roberts, Josiah Dean, Isaac Roberts, Jacob Roberts, Thos Roberts, JOHN D. MITCHUSSON) to Mrs. Mary Roberts widow of said J.R. decd for $100, 179 acres on North Fork of Durbins Creek. 1) 100 acres original grant to Wm. Gibson 2) adjacent 79 acres original grant to Ezekiel Griffith, both conv to J. R. decd. Wit: Micajah & Caleb Hughes, T. Parks, J. P. [June 4, 1810]
[Laurens County Deed Book J., p. 153]
==1809 [4 Dec] Isaac Roberts to John Pugh for $578.27, mortgage on negro woman Rose & child Susannah, also all goods & chattels coming to me from estate of J.R. decd. Wit: Wm. Gilbert, JOHN D. MITCHUSSON, Thomas Parks, J. P.
[Laurens County Deed Book J., p. 155]

==1810 [May] On motion of Nancy Reynolds, John Mitchusson appointed guardian for Rebecca Reynolds, 5 years old on 3 Dec. 1809 of Polly Reynolds. John's security is Edward Mitchusson.
==1810 [10 May] Tax List for 1810 in Caldwell Co., KY shows: JOHN MITCHUSSON --1 wh/male over 21; 2 horses; 267 acres of land; 4 slaves over 16; 5 slaves total.

==1811 [4 Feb] John Mitchusson produced commission from KY Governor, appointing him Sheriff of Caldwell Co., for residue of term of John Bearden, resigned. Entered into bond with William Mitchusson Jr., William Mitchusson Sr., and John Bearden. John Mitchusson also moves that William Mitchusson be his deputy.
==1811 [4 Feb] Fidelio G. Sharp against John Mitchusson, $40 claim in levy of 1807(?1809). Defendent confessed, paid with interest.
==1811 [May] William Mitchusson Sr. appointed Sheriff of Caldwell Co. John Mitchusson was one of his securities. John Mitchusson was made one of his deputies.
==1811 [June] William M. Mitchusson Esq., Sheriff, in open court entered his protest against the present jail as being insufficient to hold public debtors or criminals.
==1811 [Nov] Many claims against John Mitchusson filed in Caldwell Co., court.

==1812 [Feb] William Mitchusson Sr. had resigned position as Sheriff of Caldwell Co., KY.
==1812 [22 Aug] John Mitchusson was a buyer at James Kuykendall estate sale.
==1812 [Nov] In a court action against John G. Clayton, John Mitchusson recovered $227.27.

NOTE: There are a few other mentions of John Mitchusson in Caldwell Co. Court records in the years after 1812. However, I have not listed them here, as likely they are not significant.

==1816 or 1817 [25 Dec] JACOB ROBERTS decd. Return of estate: each legatee's part, debts due for Isaac & John Roberts, amounts paid A. Young, Henry Thrailkill, James Ford, John Pugh, John Meadors. To Mrs. Marey Roberts the widow having recd the old plantation not entitled to any other part. Paid Walter Austin, husband of Matilda Gilbert; John Akin husband of Lucinda Gilbert; Isaac Roberts his share; Josiah Deen husband of Polley, JOHN D. MITCHESON, husband of Clarifsey; Thomas Roberts his share; Jacob Roberts his sh; John Roberts his share; paid Fielder Brown ad of Ellender Brown decd; paid John Gilbert husband of Sarah; paid Marey R. widow of Jacob Roberts her share; retained my own as husband of Elizabeth. Each share $555.39. Ex: John Medor.
[Laurens Co., Will Book D-1, p. 355.]
==1816 [2 Dec]-1817 [25 Jan] Sarah Burton to Edwd Burton and John Lausin (of LD) and Seborn Lomax of Abbeville Dist D.R. on 1/3 of above tr owned by Robt Burton decd. B. by Henry Brockman, Edwd Pugh, Danl McKie, JOHN D. MITCHERSON, Jacob Roberts.
Wit: Thos Taylor, James Bond. Pr: B. Arnold [JP?]
==1816 [2 Dec]-1817 [25 Jan] Seborn Lomax of AD, John Lausin and Edwd Burton (of LD) to John Gravy above third of 120 a. from Sarah widow of Robert Burton decd. On n side of Durbin Cr., b. on Edwd Pugh, Henry Frockman, Danl McKie, J D MITCHERSON, Jacob Roberts. By our rights as legatees Lomas as husband of Dolly, dau of Robt & Sarah Burton, Lawson as husband of Milly Burton, likewise Edwd son of Robt & Sarah B. Wit: Arch Young, Saml Parks. Pr: Thos Parks, JP.
[Laurens Co., SC, Deed Book K, p. 157.]

==1823 [26 Apr] John D. Mitchison listed in estate of William Dandy, a merchant, as having given Dandy a note, along with many other people. In same inventory, "Jno. A. Mitcheson [gone]" is also listed among the many who had "Accounts due to Wm. Dandy alone." [Laurens Co., SC Wills 1784-1840, pp. 151-2]

==1824 [2 Aug] JOHN D. MITCHUSSON has been charged with revenue tax for one dollar more than by law, he is subject to; and with a pole tax for said year, he is ordered to be relased and the same is ordered to be certified.
==1824 [15 Nov] On motion of Edward Mitchusson, he becomes administrator for estate of JOHN D. MITCHUSSON with John Pennington as his security. Appraisers of estate: William Mitchusson, Lewis Martin, Robert Jones. Recorded February 21, 1825.
[Court Records, pp. 140-141, Caldwell Co., KY]

==1825 [15 Aug] JOHN D. MITCHUSSON released from payment revenue tax on one spotted steed horse for year 1824.

From book: Austin Colony Pioneers, by Worth S. Roy, 1949, p. 54

Elizabeth Connell, sister of David C. Connell, married Jacob

Mitcheson in Washington County, March 25, 1841. The Mitchesons settled at the town of Bartlett on the line of Williamson and Bell counties. Elizabeth's brother, David C. Connell of Washington County, Texas married Sarah Jane Clark, September 23, 1845. They had daughter Sarah Connell who married Reed.

3 January 1804 Will of Jacob Roberts

In the name of God, Amen. I Jacob Roberts of the District of Laurens and State of South Carolina, being in a declining state of body, but of sound and perfect judgment, do make constitute and ordain this my last will and testament. Revoking all other by me made, that is to say. Toutihing [sp?] the worley goods that it haith been pleased God to bless me with. It is my will that hole of my estate both real and personnalley, remain and continue in the possession of my beloved wife, Marey Roberts for the purpose of raising and educating my youngest children, or during their widowhood. But in case of her intoranmarridge it is my will that hole of my estate, both real and personnalley, be sold at the discration of my Executors, hereafter to be named, giving such timeley credits, as will be eaqualey divided -- My Beloved wife Marah Roberts to have equal [?Maiety] with my children to it-- My daugher Allemon Brown, Elizabeth Meadowes, Sarah Gilbert, and son John Roberts, and Marey Roberts, Isaac Roberts, Joel Roberts, Thomas Roberts, **Cleasurey Roberts**, and my daughter Cassy Gilbert is dead and has left two children to it Mitildy Gilbert, Susin Clay Gilbert. My will is that they have on they have one childs[?] part to be equally divided between them when they come of age and in case my wife does cause to dispose of any of my personnal estate to any of my children before a division shall take place it is my will that the property so disposed of shall be valued and that the value thereof shall be kept in a book already provided for that purpose and that it shall be as so [?much] of thire eaqual parts agreeable to a eaqual distribution and it is also my will that at any time after my death if my Executor conseves my estate to be in a [?waisting] situation for want of due care that they proseed to the [?sale] of the same in order to secure the same for the purpose mentioned. As and lastly I appoint my well beloved wife Marey Roberts Executor and my friend John Middows and my son Isaac Roberts Executors of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I have here unto set my hand and seal this 3rd day of January, 1804.
Signed in presents of: David Wright, John Roberts, Ezekel Griffey (his -- mark) by Jacob (X) Roberts (his mark).
[Recorded in Will Book C-1, Page 217, Proven date April 15, 1806. Recorded date is not available. David Anderson Ordy. Laurens District. Bundle 63, Package 5.]

From book: Nacogdoches -- Gateway to Texas
by Carolyn Reeves Ericson, 1974, p. 102

MITCHESSEN, EDWARD F. -- arrived 1835; Citizenship Lists; Entrance Certificate 1835; Physician; b. ca 1807 Virginia; died 6 March 1836 at Alamo; came from Missouri and went with the Texas Army to San Antonio.

MITCHESSEN, JACOB -- Initiated into Milam Lodge #2 on 18 June 1838; administrator of estate of Edward F. -- his brother; died 25 June 1849 of cholera.

With special thanks to Co-Researchers of these MITCHUSSON families:
Jerry Horton -- Jacob R. Mitchusson line

Additional information, corrections, or questions are most welcome, please contact:

Rev. Dr. Douglas K. Showalter

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find no record of any religious work; possibly he migrated.

Joshua Palmer was an Englishman of limited education but of considerable ability, and "a stranger to pride." He was pastor at Upper Duncans Creek about 18 years and about the same time at Warrior Creek, also for a short period at both Beaverdam and Durbin Creek, and was also active in the association. In 1808 he moved to Union county, Ind., where he organized a church.

Reuben Kelly was ordained at Warrior Creek in 1803 and was co-pastor there with Joshua Palmer several years; he was also co-pastor at Durbin Creek three years. He moved west in 1808.

Spencer Bobo's work at Upper Duncans Creek was probably only temporary or in meetings. He served jointly at Durbin Creek with two others for three years. He lived in Spartanburg county and most of his work was there. In his will he gave a sum of money to New Hope and other churches to be used for various charities and the furthrance of the Gospel, "excepting teaching men to preach which I think God knows best who to call and will provide for their instruction."

Jacob Roberts was ordained at the time of the constitution of Durbin Creek church and was its pastor until his resignation in 1801 account of ill health. He or another of the same name baptized Spencer Bobo. Unfortunately he was out of fellowship with the association until the last year of his ministry. He was the grandfather of Rev. Joshua Gilbert of a later generation; members of his family have been valuable members of 1st Fountain Inn and 1st Simpsonville churches.

Little is known of Drury Simms the only pastor of Big Branch of Enoree; he may have been the one who was in Chatham County, N. C. or one who was at Turkey Creek for a time.

While Arthur Durham was not an ordained preacher, it appears that he was the founder of Poplar Springs church and probably led the services there about nine years. Possibly he became a preacher after moving away.

David Green lived near Poplar Springs church and was head of a family of nine with five slaves in 1790. After licensing him to preach, Turkey Creek church decided he did not have the necessary qualifications and "we think it most to the glory of God to stop him from trying to preach." He was ordained at Poplar Springs in 1803 and served as pastor about one year and then moved to Miss.

Charles Crow was ordained at Bush River church and was its pastor from 1809 until his removal to Ala., in 1819; he was pastor at Upper Duncans Creek during the same period.

Thomas Weathers was authorized by Bethabara church in 1811 to preach to the peoples of the Mulberry community, now Walnut Grove, Greenwood county. He was ordained at Mt. Pleasant in 1816 and dropped out of the Laurens county records. He was possibly the one who was a member and possibly pastor of Unity church, Spartanburg District, just after this a few years; he then organized Bethesda church, Spartanburg District, and was its pastor until 1829; then a Thomas Weathers was pastor of New Bethel church York county from 1830 until he died in 1833. His family continues in Laurens county.

"Not by might, nor by power, but by my Spirit, saith the Lord of hosts."

Jacob Roberts folder

In the name of God. Amen-

I Jacob Roberts of the District of Laurens and State of South Carolina being in declineing State of Body But of sound and perfect judgment do make constitute and ordain this my last will and testement revoking all others by me made- that is to say-Toutihing the worldley goods that it has been please God to bless me with it is my will that the hole of my estate both real and personnalley remain and continue in the possession of my beloved wife Marey Roberts for the purpose of raising and educating my youngis children or dureing her widowhood but in case of her entermarage it is my will that the hole of my estate both real and parsonnalley bee sold at the disgreation of my Exeters hereafter to be naimed giving such timeley creadets as will does justes to my younges children and the estate so sold to bee eaqualley divided as follows. my beloved wife Morah Roberts to have eaqual morjetey with my children to it. my dughter Allemon Brown. Elesebeth Meadows Sarah Gilbert and sun John Roberts and Morah Roberts Isaac Roberts, Jacob Roberts-Thomas Roberts. Claresey Roberts and as my daughter Cassey Gilbert is dead and has left two childre to it Milidey Gilbert and Leusendey Gilbert my will is that they have one childs parte to be eaqualley divided between them when they com of age or marey and in case my wife seas caus to dispose of aney of my porsonnal estate to aney of my children before a division shall take place it is my will that the property so disposd of shall be valued and that the value thereof shall be kept in aboot alreadey provided for that purpose as and that it shall be as so much of there eaqual partes agreable to an eaqual destrobution it is also my will that at aney time after my death if my exeters conseave my estate to be in a waisting situation for want of due case that thay proseade to the soel of the same in order to secure the same for the purpose mentioned as and lastley I appoint my well beloved wife Marey Roberts Exeter and my friend John Meddows and my sun Isaac Roberts Exeters of this my last will and testement in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 3rd day of Jenuary 1804.

Signed in presents of
Dannl Wright
John Roberts
Ezekel his x Griffey
Mark

his
Jacob x Roberts (Seal)
Marke

Ordinarys Office,
Laurens District.

The within will was proven before me by the oath of Dannel Wright one of the subscribed witnesses to the said will on the fifteenth day of April 1806 and on the ninteenth of said instant by Ezekel Griffey one of the said witnesses to said will before me.

D. Anderson, Ordy.

Enrolled in Box 63 package 5.

Recorded in Will Booc C-1, page 217.

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be let, on the 2d of October next,

building of a COURT-HOUSE
county of Bedford in the
Shelbyville; the dimensions
to be as follows, viz. 4[illegible]
and the foundation of stone,
foundation wall of stone shall
two feet under ground and
two feet above the ground,
brick walls to contain two stories
height, the first story 15 feet high,
wall two and an half bricks
thick, the second story nine feet high,
one and an half brick thick,
the walls to be well pointed in-
side and out; the under floor to be
laid with brick edge-up; the roof to
be of yellow poplar or chestnut joint
shingles, & to be well threaded with yel-
low poplar plank 3-4 of an inch thick
square roof with cornice and modil-
lions. The second floor to be sup-
ported by a summer or girder 12 in-

FRESH GOODS,
AND THE LATEST ARRIVAL
regular assortment of *MERCHANDIZE*, consisting of
every thing either useful or elegant, is now opening at
KIRKMAN'S CASH STORE,
the court house on the public square—As promises
en frequently made to the public of selling cheaper
ers (but never fulfilled) it is his wish to depart from
beaten path, but will with certainty of realizing his
declare, that being convinced no man can afford to
him, he is determined they shall not.
Nashville, June 6th, 1810.

DRAWING
OF THE NEW-YORK
WATER LOTTERY
WILL POSITIVELY COMMENCE THE
FOURTH MONDAY IN AUGUST.

It is well known fact that every town in the U. States has raised money by lotteries to defray the expence of their public improvements—Philadelphia, N. York, Baltimore, Lexington, &c. have improved far beyond what could possibly have been effected by taxation. In no instance was ever the object more laudable or the effect more satisfactory than that offered for public patronage when we view the situation of Nashville for want of water, a [illegible] of [illegible] materials, one [illegible] would involve its citizens to [illegible] a serious degree affect the [illegible] ent country.

It is with pleasure the [illegible] inform the public, that the [illegible] of tickets has enabled them [illegible]

WHISKEY *for* SALE,
On credit by the barrel at the plantation of
John Overton's
[illegible] of Nashville.—Also
[illegible] near the same place about
[illegible] acres of land of the best quality
well watered, &c.
August 18, 1810.

D. ROBERTSON,
HAS just received and will sell low
for CASH:
PIANO FORTES,
[illegible] Stands, Gilt Frames for
[illegible] Carolina by the dozen
[illegible] — The subscribers to Rees' Cyclopedia and the Literary Magazine, are desired to call for their volumes.

To the Moneyed or Moneyless.
For sale between 4-70 and 5-00
Acres of Land together or divided
[illegible] trades, rights good, pay-

BELL TAVERN
NASHVILLE.
[illegible]
A Hall of Entertainment
In Nashville [illegible] brick building [illegible] Dr. James Hendon's Main street and North of the Courthouse—his house will at all times be furnished in such way as to render his accommodations comfortable, and every exertion used to merit the approbation of his customers.
Thomas Childress.

20 DOLLARS REWARD.

RUNAWAY on Sunday last from a boat at Harpeth Shoals, a Mulatto man named DICK and calls himself RICHARD INGRAM, he is about 5 feet 6 or 8 inches high,

—David Todd, John H. Morton and Joseph Hawkins.
—John Woodford.
—Christopher Rife.
—Vincent Davis, Benjamin Hardin and Dr. Harrison.
—John Fantis & John Faulkner.
—Charles Helm and Samuel Haycraft.
—William Hardin.
—Franklin Colier.
—George Reed and Jas. Ward.
—Apollia Parker, Maurice Langhorne and John Field.
—Mc. Cassidy and Goodin.
—James D. Breckendridge and Seaborn B. Beal.
—Samuel Smith, William Kerly and John Shoddy.

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NGO PARK.—We have the to learn, that the hopes are of Mungo Park's being yet An African has arrived at from the interior, with intel- that this celebrated travel- then in the Bambara nation, prisoner.

ERINO FLEECE.—Perhaps the ordinary ever known, was a few days since, from a full ck lamb, Eclipse, raised by Taylor, of New-Milford, ticut. Weight of fleece, 9lb. 6.lb.

seven pounds of carcase pro- a pound of Wool of uncom- fineness. This wool is now Dollars & 3 quarters per lb.

Philadelphia Bible society ring the last year, as appears annual report distributed a indigent persons, 1584 Eng- es, 347 English Testaments, han Bibles, 196 German Tes- 45 French Testaments and and 1 Gaelic Bible.

MARRIED.

io de Janeiro, May 13, His rene Highness Don *Pedro Bourbon de Braganca*, Infan- in, to the princess da *Donna aria Teresa*, daughter of the Regent of Portugal. The shipping were illuminated ghts.

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FOR SALE

ouse and Lot in Nashville, on Water street, calculated radesman or artificer, and at occupied by Elisha Marshal. ply to the Editors.

about two and an half miles from the river, entered on warrant No. 1774; taken in execution to satisfy a judgment that Alexander Roberts executor of Adam Roberts, dec. recovered against the said Robert Hays—sale about 12 o'clock

T. Bradley, shff. w. c.

WAGGONS, WHEELS, &c.

The public are informed that Waggons, Carts, Flax and Cotton spinning wheels of the first quality made, & wood or iron repairs, may be had at the plantation of the subscriber on the road to the Blackfox's camp about 2 miles from Turner's mill, on lower terms than in Nashville and of equal quality.

Samuel Bell.

By virtue of two writs of fieri facias to me directed from the worshipful court of Williamson county, there will be sold at the court house in the town of Columbia, on the 27th day September next, all the right, title & interest that Robert Prince and Jenny his wife, formerly Jenny Gilbert, James Holland and Sarah his wife, formerly Sarah Gilbert, Alexander M. Gilbert, Milly Gilbert, Sally Gilbert, Fanny Gilbert, Philip Gilbert, William Gilbert, Jenny Gilbert, and Elizabeth Gilbert, children of John Gilbert, deceased, and heirs of Wm. Gilbert, deceased, have in and to

Five Thousand Acres of Land,

lying on both sides of Fountain creek No. of warrant 542, and which belonged to William Gilbert, deceased, levied on at the suits of Charles B. Neilson against the said Robert Prince and wife, James Holland and wife, Alexander M. Gilbert, Milly Gilbert, Sally Gilbert, Fanny Gilbert, Philip Gilbert, William Gilbert, Jenny Gilbert and Elizabeth Gilbert, heirs of William Gilbert, deceased—Sale about twelve o'clock.

Wm. Bradshaw, d. s.

Aug. 14. print.250cts

Notice.

I hereby notify, the citizens of Nashville & those within the vicinity thereof, that they are forbid by me, from taking of sand off the first Island below the town of Nashville in Cumberland river, and from this date if any person shall be guilty of diging or taking sand of said Island, will be prosecuted without respect to persons as the same is my property.

JOHN BOYD.

Sheriff Sales.

By virtue of four writs of fieri facias to me directed from the worshipful court of Davidson county there will be sold agreeably to law, at the court house in the town of Nashville, on Saturday the

of our said court at office, this 27th day of July, 181

N. P. HARI

Rutherford County.—Taken up by David Tacket, Dry creek, near Braley's mill, one dark brown horse, three years old, about 13 1-2 hands high, branded on the near shoulder and off thigh thus X,—appraised to 15 dollars.

Taken up by John Stringfield, near Brawley's mill, one chestnut sorrel horse, 9 or 10 years old, about 14 1-2 hands high, a small star in his forehead, his near fore foot white, some saddle spots, supposed to be branded on the near shoulder C K,—appraised to 30 dollars.

Taken up by James Hamilton, on Cripple creek, near Francis Young's, one gray horse colt, about 3 years old, branded on the near shoulder V,—appraised to 13.

Taken up by James Doven, on the little west fork of the east fork of Stones river, one chestnut sorrel mare 4 years old, 14 1-2 hands high, star and snip in her face, an old bell on, the clapper tied in with a leather string, branded on each shoulder H the has a young colt, the mare appraised to 10 dollars, the colt to 3 dollars.

Taken up by John Thompson, west fork of Stones river, one sorrel mare 9 years old, 14 hands high, blaze face, branded on the near shoulder and buttock 96,—appraised to 20 dollars — Also one sorrel filly supposed to be 2 years old, about 14 hands high, branded on the near shoulder and buttock 96—Also one dark bay filly blaze face, both hind feet white, black spots round the hoof—appraised to 15 dollars.

Taken up by John Galaway, near Jefferson, one pale sorrel mare colt, one year old, small star in his forehead, his off hind foot half white, no brands perceivable—appraised to 8 dollars.

Taken up by Peter Grayson, east fork of Stones river, 4 miles above Jefferson, one sorrel mare, 8 years old, 13 hands 3 inches high, blaze face, one hind foot white, both shoulders scalded by the geer, branded on the near thigh B,—appraised to 25 dollars.

Taken up Joseph Dunkin, little west fork of the east fork of Stones river, one sorrel mare; mixed with with gray hairs, white face, her near hind leg white, about half way, branded on the near shoulder C H, had on about 3 shilling bell with a double buckle on the choilar, she is supposed to be 9 years old,—appraised to

Taken up by the mouth of dark gray mare near 3 feet hig white, a small below the left ter—appraised

Taken up b near Reed's horse, fault dle spots, had 7 [illegible] two small [illegible] the near [illegible] hands high, to 26 dollars.

Taken up b Jefferson, one old, branded C small blaze in feet, his tail in —appraised to

Taken up by alis fork, one bl old, 13 hands on the left th tock 2, appears in the pastern foot—appraised one dun colt, 14 months old, praised to 10 d

Wilson cou

Reuben Bullar creek, a brown years old, abou star and snip, shoulder [illegible] lars, August 4th

Taken up by near Drake's li years old, about ded on the left rup iron, a sm spot on the righ twenty five dolla

Taken up by on the waters o bay horse, some inch high, br shoulder thus H dollars, July 31st

Taken up by on the head of yellow sorrel ma eye, bald face, her right fore knee, both hind hams, a white s supposed to be 4 inch high; appr lars and fifty cent

Taken up by W

Columbia, SC 1993

HUSBAND (full name) William BOURLAND (I) [HAS WILL]

Born (date) Ca 1734 Place

Chr. (date) Place

Marr. (date) Place

Died (date) 1804 Place

Bur. (date) Place

HUSBAND'S FATHER (full name) HUSBAND'S MOTHER (full maiden name)

HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES

WIFE (full maiden name) Mary

Born (date) Place

Chr. (date) Place

Died (date) Place

Bur. (date) Place

WIFE'S FATHER (full name) WIFE'S MOTHER (full maiden name)

WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS

NAMES: WATSON, John Henry
PLACES: Sharon, Windsr, Vt

ENTER ALL DATA IN THIS ORDER:
DATES: 14 Apr 1794

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	SEX M F	full names CHILDREN List Each Child (Whether Living or Dead) in Order of Birth SURNAME (CAPITALIZED) GIVEN NAMES	WHEN BORN DAY MONTH YEAR	WHERE BORN TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY	DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE TO WHOM	WHEN DIED DAY MONTH YEAR
1	F	Ruby Bourland					___ Webure	
2	F	Mary Bourland					___ Olde	
3	F	Pegabee Bourland					John W. Harper	
4	M	John Bourland -	see will below	b 5 May 1760			Mary	1820
5	F	Elizabeth Bourland					Joseph Rummage	18
6	F	Rebekka Bourland					___ Fowler	
7	M	William (II) Bourland						
8	M	James Bourland						
9	F	Jennet Bourland					___ Doolard	
10	F	Sarah Grace "Sallie"		[Bobbie McDowell says b. 1784]				
11		Nancy Bourland					___ Whetford	

X

FAMILY GROUP RECORD

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

Wm Bourland I - not in 1790 Census, Laurens Co, SC
Wm Bourland II - "
Wm Bourland III - 1820 Census, Laurens Co, SC
John Bourland I, s/o Wm I, 1800 Census, Laurens, SC
2111 - 0 311; Will - Will Book E, p70-72,

OTHER MARRIAGES

Chn of John Bourland I (from will)
John, Thomas, William, David, Mary Scott,
Sarah (later m. James Wilson ~1820),
Jane, Charlet, Martha Rammage, dec.
Left land in TN, probably in Maury/Giles Co.
Last of Bourland land in Laurens Co, SC sold ..

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HUSBAND (full name)

Born (date) Place

Chr. (date) Place

Marr. (date) Place

Died (date) Place

Bur. (date) Place

HUSBAND'S FATHER (full name) HUSBAND'S MOTHER (full maiden name)

HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES

WIFE (full maiden name)

Born (date) Place

Chr. (date) Place

Died (date) Place

Bur. (date) Place

WIFE'S FATHER (full name) WIFE'S MOTHER (full maiden name)

WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS

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1 M	Andrews Bourland										
2 F	Cassa Grace Bourland										
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SOURCES OF INFORMATION

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PLACES: Sharon, Windsor, Vt

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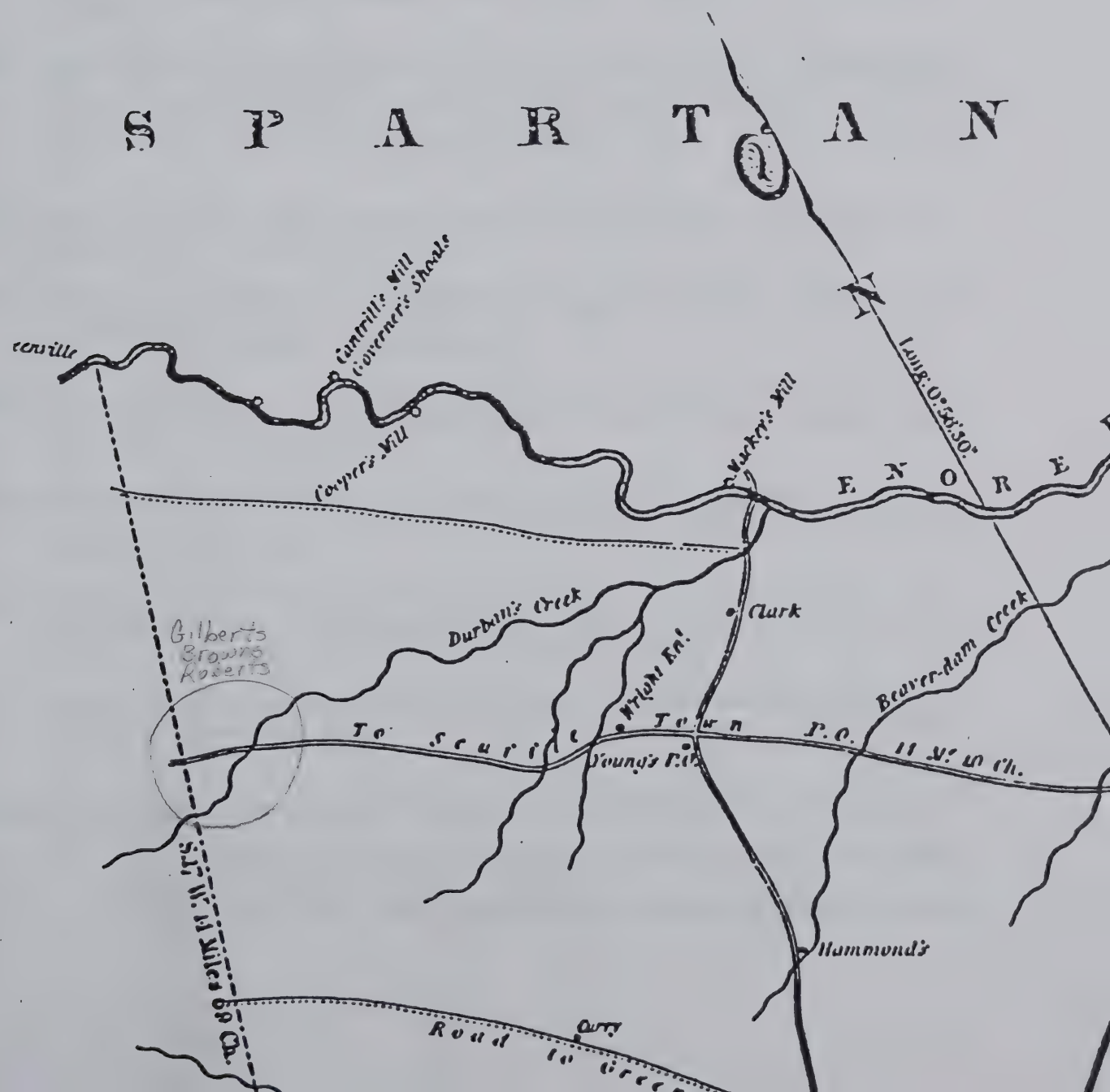
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Cantrill's Mill
Governor's Shoals
Cooper's Mill
Mackey's Mill
Clark
Durbin's Creek
Wright Ed.
Beaver-dam Creek
Gilberts
Browns
Roberts
To Sequoia
Town P.O. 11 Ms 40 Ch.
Young's P.O.
Hammond's
Road to Greer
Quarry
Sq. 11 Miles 60 Ch.

TIME LINE FOR JOHN GILBERT OF LAURENS CO., SC
By Melanie McNatt Nolan

1794 Wm. and John Gilbert wit. deed s fk. Durbins Creek, Matthew Bowen to Rolly Bowen.

1805 John Gilbert wit. John Walker Moore, Pendleton Co. to Jacob Roberts 2 a N Fk. Durbins Creek.

1807 James Walker Moore to John Gilbert, 66 a on Durbin Cr. Wit: James Moore, Obediah Holcombe.

1807 Thomas Parks to John Gilbert 21 A on br Durbins Cr. b. on John Walker Moore. Wit: Wm. Gilbert, John Wallis.

1807 Jacob Roberts to John Gilbert 100 a on Durbins Cr. Jacob Roberts bought from James Gibson. Wit: Obediah Holcombe, Wm. Gilbert.

1810 Legatees of Jacob Roberts decd: Frances Brown of Rutherford Co., NC, John Meadows, John Gilbert, John Roberts, Josiah Dean, Isaac Roberts, Jacob Roberts, Thomas Roberts, John D. Mitchusson to Mrs. Mary Roberts, widow, 179 a on N fk. Durbins Cr.

1810 Josiah Dean to John Meadors exor Jacob Roberts, mortgage on 5 trs. on N fk. Durbin Cr. Wit: John and Wm. Gilbert.

1810 Alexr. M. Gilbert of Rutherford Co., NC to Isaac Jacks 180 A on both sides S Fk. Duncans Cr. grant to Wm. Gilbert 1786. Wit: John Witten, John Gilbert.

1816 John Gilbert to Abrhm Riddlesperger of Greenville Dist 240 A on Durbin Cr. b. on Hudson Berry, John Moores orphans, Ed. Pugh, DR Sally Gilbert.

1816 Abraham Riddlesperger to John Gilbert mortgage on tr. on middle & N fks Durbins Cr. b. on Hudson Berry, John Moore orphans, Ed. Pugh.

1816 Patsy Holcomb one of heirs of Moses Holcombe decd to John Gilbert 150 A b. on Jesse Wallis, Thos. Parks, Wm. Mountree Jones, incl. cabin where Moses H decd lived.

1818 Jeremiah Gilbert atty for John Gilbert acknowledges satisf. on mortgage recorded on p. 135, wit: Archd Young, Wm. Gilbert, Jr.

1818 John Gilbert to Allen Willson of Spartanburg Co. all my part in 2 trs:
1. 125 A conv. by Moses Holcomb to John Gilbert b on Jesse Wallis, Thos Parks, Wm. Rountree
2. 5 A on spr. br. where said Moses Holcomb's cabin stands

1819 Bookter Gilbert of Clark Co., Ala Terr. to John Gray 120 A on Durbin Cr. of Enoree R. b on Dan'l McKie, Col. John Parks, Jno Robinson, Ed. Pugh & Jacob Roberts. Conveyed by robt Burton and his children to John Gilbert to sd. Bookter Gilbert.

1818-1823 John Gilbert unaccounted for; however, his daughter Onea L. Gilbert who married Malcom McNatt gave her birthplace as TN on the 1850 census.

1824 Ball Fork Baptist Church of Christ in Lincoln Co., TN: A motion made to call Bro. Gilbert to attend us with Bro. Boone in the ministry.

1826 Lincoln Co., TN: Marriages of:
Ambrose B. Gilbert to Sarah Wright, 20 Jul 1826
Mary Gilbert to George L. Leonard, 27 Jul 1826

1830 Lincoln Co., TN census, p. 192, NTWL: Only Gilbert in Lincoln County. Cinthia Gilbert, James Gilbert and John C. Gilbert in Bedford County.

10 Aug 1831 John Gilbert bought land on East Crane Creek from Abraham Dudney, Bk. q, p. 135, Lincoln Co., TN

Third Sat in April 1840 The United Baptist Church at the Forks of Mulberry: They (sic) church met agreeable to appointment after sermon by Bro. John Gilbert.

1840 John Gilbert is on the census of Lincoln Co., TN with 2 males under age 5, 1 male age 10-15, 2 males 15-20, 1 male 50-60, 2 females age 15-20, and 2 females age 50-60. One of the males age 15-20 could be Washington Alexander. The other male and one of the females in this same age group could be D.A. Gilbert and his wife Lucretia. The two males under age 5 could be their sons Wash. A. and John R. The other female in the age group 15-20 would be Melinda Caroline. The male age 10-15 is unaccounted for as is the second female age 50-60. If John Gilbert and his wife were 50-60 in 1840, <u>they were born between 1780 and 1790</u>.

21 July 1842 Property of John Gilbert deceased sold by W.A. Gilbert to Wm. Sorrells 160 A, Rec'd 4 May 1843, Bk. 1, p. 138, Lincoln Co., TN

Comments:

Assuming that the John Gilbert found in Laurens Co., SC records is the same person as Rev. John Gilbert who died in Lincoln Co., TN in 1841, it appears that he was in Laurens Co., SC from at least the mid 1790's until around 1818 when he sold the last of his land to Allen Wilson of Spartanburg Co., SC. John Gilbert began showing in Laurens Co., SC records in 1794, when he was a witness to a deed.

On April 15, 1806, the will of Jacob Roberts, a Baptist minister, was proven in Laurens Co., SC. It is possible that Jacob Roberts wife Mary was the daughter of Thomas Garner whose will was written July 13, 1791, in Laurens Co., SC, and names as one of his children Molley Roberts, Molley being a nickname for Mary which is the name of Jacob Roberts wife as named in his will. One of the children named in Rev. Roberts' will was a daughter named Sarah Gilbert. Further investigation reveals that this daughter was the wife of John Gilbert. At the time the estate was settled, Sarah Roberts Gilbert's share was received by her husband John Gilbert. In addition, one of Jacob Roberts' other daughters, Copey (sic), had also married a Gilbert. Copey was deceased at the time of her father's death and two of her children received bequests in his will. By the time the estate was settled in 1817, these children were grown and married so the identity of their father is unknown.

This John Gilbert who was the husband of Sarah Roberts bought land on Durbins Creek, on the Enoree River. This is the same area in which Jacob Roberts and the rest of his family lived, except for one of his daughters and her husband Frances Brown who were living in Rutherford Co., NC. There are many records of transactions involving John Gilbert, as well as several other Gilbert men, and Jacob Roberts and the rest of his family. There are no records of any transactions between these people and any of the Bourland family who lived further down the River on Duncans Creek.

One incidence that intrigues me is that there was a man named Rezin Holland who lived on Duncans Creek along with a number of other Holland families. Could these be some of the relatives of James Holland who married Sarah Gilbert, daughter of William Gilbert and Sarah McCandless. And, is this were the name Rezin came from for the son of Doc A. and Lucretia Gilbert?

The period of 1818, when John Gilbert sold the last of his land in Laurens Co., SC, to 1824, when Bro. Gilbert is asked to attend the Ball Fork Baptist Church of Christ in the ministry reveals no record of where he was and what he was doing. He and his children are fairly easy to trace once they began showing in the records of Lincoln County and Bedford County in TN.

The census record of Lincoln Co., TN shows John Gilbert to be age 50-60; therefore born 1780-1790. This fairly precludes him being the son of William Gilbert and Sarah McCandless. Perhaps he was a grandson of this couple. Two of their sons, William and Phillip, are unaccounted for although they are named in Maury Co., TN records as being heirs of William Gilbert. William Gilbert did have a son named John, but, according to correspondance with one of his descendents, he married Elise Elizabeth Alston, daughter of Phillip Alston in TN about 1794, and died about 1807 in Jefferson Co., MS.

So, poor Rev. John Gilbert has no father and an unknown wife. Although John Gilbert appeared to have a wife in 1840, according to the census, there is no mention of her in the Lincoln Co., TN records. Washington Alexander and D.A. Gilbert were the administrators of John Gilbert's estate. No will has been found.

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For The Baptist.

Robertson Co. Feb. 19 1838.

Dear Brother Howell,

On the 18th 19th 20th and 21st of January last I was in a neighbourhood of Lincoln Co: where I had not been before; (12 miles south of Fayettville) I preached in the neighbourhood school-house. Not many baptists in the neighbourhood. They requested me to preach there again when I could. Some subscribed for The Baptist.

On the Lords day after (28 January) I was with Elder J. H. Leftwich at Wigino M. H. Bedford Co. At night we had a meeting at Elder M. Brame's. The company was small but our meeting was interesting, several we trust were deeply penitent.

We continued the meeting, from house to house, till the Lords day following. The weather was cold, our congregations were small; but we hope to see the mourners who were with us, rejoice. May the Lord bless them. Elder John Gilbert was with us the most of the time.

The Brethren and neighbours subscribed 46 dollars 75cts to the Convention.

February 9th, 10th, 11th. I was in the neighbourhood of the Concord m. h. in the Concord Association, Church meeting was held at Bro. Sol. Morton's on accout of the weather. Elder T. Fuqua attended with me; no particular excitement. Brethren and friends subscribed $30, 50 for the Convention.

I am now in Robertson county, Bethel Association, in the neighbourhood of Harmony m. h. This Association has 30 Churches and 2608 members; all for effort; I am informed, from their minutes of 1837 &c.

Thus we see churches and individuals coming up to the work of the Lord. And it is time they should and "put on the armour of light" for "the night is far spent, the day is at hand; the salvation of God is sent unto the Gentiles and they will hear it."

We should co-operate with neighbouring churches for promoting the spread of the Gospel, either by local or general institutions.

Many objects of vast importance to the spread of the Gospel in the world can be accomplished by the union of Churches, which cannot be effected without it." "Places

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of worship may be opened, the faithful ministry of the word introduced, and Churches planted in dark benighted," countries "while all the grand and noble institutions which are organized to save a perishing world may by this means receive additional support. United fires brighten each other's blaze, and increase each other's intensity; and thus the association of churches enkindles each other's zeal, and provokes one another to love and good works. Nor is zeal the only Christian virtue promoted by such unions, brotherly love is cherished and excited. The presence of messengers from other Churches at the anual meetings of our societies, produces a friendly feeling and brotherly interest, not unlike that which a family experiences, when gathered together at "the fireside." One great end of assembling the males of the Jewish nation three times a year before the ark, was to keep up a brotherly feeling between the different and distant parts of the nation.

Nothing is so likely to cherish the fire of love, as the fuel supplied by works of zeal."—*Church Members Guide.*

The Churches in Tennessee are co-operating more and more for the spread of the Gospel. We hope the day is not far distant when we shall see them doing the work assigned to them. For they will remember that it is not the forgetful hearer, but the doer of the work, that shall be blessed in his deed.

"Wilt thou know vain man that faith without works is dead" "as the body without the spirit is dead, so faith without works is dead also."

Wherefore my brethren put on the whole armour of God; be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might. For we wrestle against the rulers of darkness of this world, and against wicked spirits in high places.

Let the sword of the Spirit be brightened by use. Do service as to the Lord and not to men.

B. KIMBROUGH, Gen. Agent.

Materials of History.

Dear Brother Howell,

I see in the January No. of the Baptist a desire to obtain the history of the origin and progress

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REVIVALS.

Extracts of Correspondence, Letters, &c.

Brother William W. Nash, of Pickens county, Alabama, writes us under date of Nashville, Mi. Oct. 1st, 1838:—"You will recollect that at the last session of the Union Association, the Anties broke off from us, and set up a separate concern. Our session for this year, after being protracted nine days, closed last Saturday, during which *upwards of one hundred were baptized*, and the work is still going on! All our Effort-Churches, nearly, in this region, are enjoying a glorious revival. The number united to *eight* or *nine* Churches around my residence, during the *two months* last past, is *upwards of four hundred and fifty*. The brethren principally engaged as laborers in this work are G. Tucker, R. Baily, J. S. Walthall, of Columbus, W. Halbert, S. McGowen, Walters, Thomas, Smith, C. Stewart, R. Wilkins, J. H. Taylor, Manning, and W. R. Stancel.

Brother A. Payne, under date of Russel's Valley, Franklin county, Ala. Oct. 15th says:—"I have the best news that it was ever my happiness to communicate to you. The Lord has been pleased to visit our Valley in great mercy. The first manifestations of peculiar favour commenced one month ago, at our meeting at Mount Nebo. At this meeting brethren H. W. Hodges, Wm. Leigh, Josiah Barker, and Spragins, a Methodist brother, attended. The Divine Power was so manifest that we protracted the meeting from day to day until it continued nine days. *Forty*, or *forty-one*, joined by experience, *thirty-six* of whom, on the last day of the meeting were baptized. The others waited, some for friends, and some for other reasons.

Ten days ago the Russel's Valley Church came together at her monthly meeting. The same Ministers were present, except brother Spragins. This meeting was protracted seven days, during which *twelve* were baptized, and two restored. The meeting was then removed back to Mount-Nebo, and continued until yesterday. The last two days *twenty* one joined the Church by experience, and one was restored. After the door was closed on the last day, *five* professed to experience the love of Christ shed abroad in their hearts.

In this revival an unusual number of young men have joined the Church. Some families were greatly blessed. Of

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the children of our beloved Pastor Elder Skinner, *three* were baptized; of another family *six*, the youngest of whom, *about eleven years old*, was the smallest person I ever saw baptized, except a little girl, at the same meeting, who though as small, was older. Their experiences were perfectly satisfactory. God has been pleased to give me, in Christian as well as natural bonds, my beloved wife. Our Methodist brethren and sisters attended and enjoyed the Meeting.—Some of them also have joined us and been baptized.

I conclude by remarking that our Pastor, and several of our prominent brethren, have heretofore been opposed to protracted meetings; but the blessing of God so abundantly poured out upon them has removed all their objections. They say the Lord, himself, protracted our meeting—no opposition now."

The following notice of the same meetings is from the pen of our beloved brether Leigh.

Leighton, Ala. Oct. 15.—On last night I returned home from Russel' Valley, Franklin County; and I must give you some information of a Revival of religion, in that neighbourhood. On the second Saturday in September, Bro Barker and myself attended the Church at Mount Nebo, with an expectation of remaining only two days; but on the evening of the second day there was such a great display of the power of God in the congregation, that we felt it our duty to continue the meeting, the next day which convinced us that of a truth God was, with us. Sinners began to cry for mercy, while Christians were made to rejoice. The meeting continued from day to day until the next Sunday evening. Each day seemed to bring with it new desires, and anxieties, with both saint and sinners. On Friday Saturday and Sunday, my worthy Bro. Hodges united, with us. On Sunday, the last day of the meeting, I preached, out of doors, to the largest and most attentive congregation I ever addressed in Alabama, a day long to be remembered.—On leaving, bro. Hodges and my self promised to attend the Russel's Valley Church, six or eight miles from Mount Nebo, on the last Saturday and Sunday in Oct. On Saturday, we met an attentive congregation—some *good* appearances of the goodness of God—On the next day, Sunday, the congregation was very large and the word preached seemed to have been attended with the blessing of God, so much so

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that we concluded to continue the next day, when on Monday my worthy Bro. J. Barker united with us, and the meeting continued, and was attended by large and attentive congregations from day to day until friday evening during which time many were deeply convicted, and happily converted to God, and we left many yet crying for mercy. The meeting would have continued still, but we adjourned to Mount Nebo, on Saturday, it being the regular meeting day of that Church, where we continued preaching and praising God untill Sunday evening. to those two Churches have been united by baptism during this revival about seventy or eighty members, mostly whites and of the most respectable in the community. The good work, I hope will still go on. On yesterday, the last day of the meeting, we had a glorious time. Bro. Skinner, the paster of those two Churches, which for many years have been very cold in religion, and bro. Moss, were with us during the meetings, and were active in prayer and giving instructions to the mourners, and to the praise of our Methodist brethren several of them attended with us and we all enjoyed ourselves together as christians.

Under date of October the 3rd brother M. Brame of Bedford writes:—"I was at Hannah's Gap, Lincoln county, at their late protracted meeting. The Lord was with us.—Elder John Gilbert had the pleasure of leading some into the water almost every day. About twenty were baptized before I left."

Bro. W. H. Halcombe, under date of Athens Alabama, October 31st says:—"I have pleasing intelligence to communicate to the friends of Zion, through your paper, our protracted meeting, at Round Island, which was continued twelve days and nights, closed yesterday evening, and we can truly say "The Lord has done great things for us, whereof we are glad." *Forty* persons, during the meeting, professed religion, the most of whom are in the bloom of youth.—The ministers in attendance were Cate, Seal, and myself, of the Baptist Church, Eliot, and Nabors of the Cumberland Presbyterian, and Moore, of the Methodist. Love and union abounded among us. Such a season has never before been witnessed by the brethren in North Alabama." It will be remembered that this Church is one among the number recently cut off by the antieffort folks. No sooner

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BALL FORK BAPTIST CHURCH OF CHRIST
(con't from Vol I Extra)

3rd Sat. 1819 Jan.
John J. Whitaker vs John Whitaker Sr for refusing to comply with his contract with Joseph Whitaker....
committee app't: Thos. Crawford Mark Whitaker Champion Blythe Philip Fox Stephen Burns.

Benj. Boon John King James Clark took up the reference respecting Bro Wm Berry he professing to be desirous not to hurt his brethren therefore agrees to quit the practice of assembling with the Free Masons

Sister Lydia Pooley granted a letter of Dismiss.
Sister Martha Thresher granted letter of Dismiss
Sis Betsy Whitehead dismissed by letter
Sister Mary Jones dis by letter
Bro Wm Berry granted letter of dis.
Bro John Wise recd by letter

3rd Sat Feb 1819

Case of Bro Wm J. Whitaker satisfaction made to church
Sister Hatty Leart granted letter of dis.
Bro Joseph Williamson and Sister Fanny granted letter of Dis

3rd Sat. Mar. 1819
So few members that postponed meeting

3rd Sat in Jan. 1839 (As recorded.Ed)

→ The church agreed to pay Bro Gilbert $100 for his service

3rd Sat Apr 1819

Took up reference of Bro John Whitaker Sr.

3rd Sat May 1819
Bro Mark Whitaker brings compl vs Bro John White...
Bro Stephen Beevers and Bro Hodges to sight him to next meeting
Bro John C Good dismissed by letter

3rd Sat June 1819

Bro John White came forward and gave church satisfaction
Rachel White came forward and was received by letter formerly granted by this church, also Bro Mark Whitaker returned his letter of Dismission for himself and wife

Third Saturday in July 1819

Bro Joseph Braden brings a complaint against John Whitaker Sr for his hard speeches against the church at the last meeting and the church agree that Bro Braden had cause to be hurt, vis the church profess to be hurt with Bro Whitaker for his hard speeches from time to time, Therefore the Church vote him out of their fellowship.
Sister Anna Andrews dismissed by letter

(con't next issue)

Ball Fork Baptist Church of Christ con't

Third Saturday in April 1824
Church met agreeable to appointment and after divine service proceed to inquire for fellowship & we appear to be at peace Patsy McLemore received by letter from South Elkton Kentucky Dismissed in order

Third Saturday in May 1824....all at peace

Third Saturday in June 1824
A motion being made to call Bro Gilbert to attend us with Bro Boone in the ministry we unanamously agree to request him to attend us Aaron agree to sweep the Meeting another year commencing from May meeting

Third Saturday in July 1824
....A door being opend for the reception of members Nathaniel Servant Col. Wm Moore Received by Recommendation Apointed our Brethren Benj Boon B Thurston & J J Whitaker to Bear our letter to the association the Clerk to prepare a letter to the association to be red at our next meeting

Third Saturday in August 1824
....association letter read and received

Third Saturday in September 1824
.....Received a letter from Stephen Beevers....asking for letter of dismission, which is granted Bro Charles Fox received into fellowship by experience

Third Saturday in October 1824.....all at peace

Third Saturday in November 1824
.....Simon the property of Bro Mark Whitaker made application for admission his case being difficult one laid over till next meeting This Church request Bro James Walker to attend and Preach for us with Bro Boon. He agrees to come as often as he can. Dismissed in order

Third Saturday in December 1824...reference respecting Simon con't

Third Saturday in January 182_...Simon con't

Third Saturday in February 1825
....Took up the refference respectin Simon & he received into fellowship and liberated to exescise a publick gift by Singing prays Exhortation & preaching so long as the church may approve of his gift...

Third Saturday in March 1825....all at peace

Third Saturday in April 1825
....A door being opened for the reception of members received Sister Elizabeth Jones from Tumbling Creek Church Hickman Cty Tenn..On account of the absence of the following Brethren to wit Daniel Warren Henry Warren & Benj Whitaker we have appointed Bro Thruston to see the Bro Warrens & to invite them to meting Bro Mark to see Benj & invite him....

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Third Saturday in August 1829
Church met...

Third Saturday in September 1829
Church met...reception of members none came forward on the same evening at J J Whitakers Nancy Whitaker & Madison G Whitaker was received by experience on Sunday after preaching a door being opened for the reception of members Rosey of colour Jeffry of colour Lizy of colour Lucinda of color also Toney of colour came forward & war received by expereince also Jesse of color restore Cesar of color was restored on monday following John Meeks came forward & was received by experience.

Third Saturday in October 1829
Church met.... It appearing to the satisfaction of the Church that Wm Burton has unlawfully married another mans wife we herefore unamous vot him out of our fellowship A door being opened Nancy Phillips was received by experience on Sunday afternoon near Bro John Rheas The church opened her door for the reception of members and Sucky of color and Sulkey of colour ware received by experience and baptism was administered to them

Names of the Members of Church (none listed. Ed.)

Third Saturday in November 1829
Church met...Elizabeth Rogers & Charles Whitaker received...
Third Saturday in Dec (no date. Ed.)
Church met...
Third Saturday in January 1830
Church met... By request of this Church Bro Gilbert agrees to attend and preach for us once a month Agreed that our meetings in future be held by the Sunday & that our meeting be on the ____ Sunday in each month

Third Saturday in February 1830
Church met...
Third Saturday in March 1830
Church met...Agreed by the Church that we give twelve of the seats out of the oald meeting House to the curch at Mount Moriah

Third Saturday in April 1830
Church met..
Third Saturday in May 1830
Church met...On aplication granted letters of dismisssion to Sister Elizabeth W__ck & Tamer of colour Wm Smith
On Sunday at the water opened a door for the reception of members & received four (to wit) Elza of colour of J Bright Carlloote of colour of W Dixon Susann of colour of Wm Rolion also N___ colored woman More not recollected Baptised on the same day Elijah of colour servant of Wm Timmons also Chany of colour servant of Wm Inge and Jordan of colour servant Jos Whitaker Baptised by Gorge of colour

Third Saturday in June 1830
Church met...

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Third Saturday February 1831
Church met...at the request of the Church Bro Gilbert agrees to attend us as a preacher for the insuing year. On Sunday door being opened for the reception of members Polly Sebastian by letter from Mount Moriah also Eliza of colour the property of Sister Parks by letter from Bethel.

Third Saturday in March 1831
Church met...

Third Saturday in April 1831
Church met..J J Whitaker brings a complaint against servant Whatty for drinking too much Spirits & other disorderly conduct & it defered to the next meting

Third Saturday in May
Church met...the refference respecting Westly and appointed a committee to inquire into & make report to our next meeting in course (to wit) Thos Massy Benj Thruston & Jos Sebastian received Sister Elizabeth Bates by letter from Mount Moriah

Third Saturday in June 1831
Church met...took up the referrence respecting Westly & the Committee report satisfaction on account of an unfavourable report having reached the Church with respect to Sister Elizabeth Rogers .... we have tarefore appointed Bro J J Whitaker to visit her & request her to attend meeting on Sunday A door being open for members.... Stennitt Noeley

Third Saturday in July 1831
Church met..took up refference respecting Sister Rogers.....

Third Saturday in August 1831
Church met...appointed our messengers to the association (to wit) Thomas Massy Joseph Whitaker & Thomas Parks On Sunday received Mary Whitaker by experience

Third Saturday in September 1831
Church met...Sister Nancy Phillips granted a letter of dismission

Third Saturday in October 1831
Church met....reception of members Bro John Olliver & his wife Susanah was received by letter from Concord Norris Creek also George of colour by experience property of Bro Rhea

Third Saturday in November 1831
Church met...received by experience Charlotte a coloured woman the property of Nina

Third Saturday in December 1831
On account of Severe Cold weather no meeting

Third Saturday in January ___
Church met..

Third Saturday in February 1832
Church met..Bro Boon by request of the Church agrees to indeavor to atten us once a month the church receiving information by Bro Massy that Bro Turner King .....

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BALL FORK BAPTIST CHURCH OF CHRIST AT MULBERRY

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Third Saturday in October 1834 (no data)
Third Saturdy in Nov 1834
State of Tennessee)
County of Lincoln)

The United Baptist Church of Christ at the forks of Mulberry under the Pastorel care of Elder A. Gilbert do certify that B.A. is a member in our Church in good standing and he is about to move out of the limits of our Church has petitioned for a letter of dismission which is granted

The United Baptist Church of Christ
Cold Forks of Mulberry

NOTE: This article was read from a microfilm copy of the original. The microfilm copy was labeled Ball Fork Baptist Church of Christ at Mulberry. For this reason the editor has used the title as labeled. The above notation shows that the name should have been 'Cold Fork'. Ed.

Third Saturday in March 1835
Church met...
Third Sunday April 1835
On account of excessive rain no meeting
Third Saturday in May, June, July 1835 Church met.....
Third Saturday in August 1835
Church met...the Church request Bro John J & Joseph Whitaker & Bro Sebastian to bear a letter to the association & the Clerk to prepare it our next meeting to be on the 4th Saturday & Sunday in September

Fourth Saturday in Sept. 1835
Church met...
Fourth Saturday in October 1835
Church met...
Fourth Saturday in November 1836 (as shown. Ed.)
Church met...
Fourth Saturday in December 1835
Church met..
January Meeting on the fourth Sunday at Father 1836
February Meetting on the fourth Sunday at father 1836 Whitakers
March Meeting at the Mulberry Acaddemmy fourth Sunday in March 183
Fourth Sunday in April 1836
Meeting at the academmy
Fourth Saturday in May 1836
Church met and after divine service by Bro Muse
Fourth Saturday in May 1836 Church met ....
Fourth Saturday in June 1836 Church met...Service by Bro Anderson
The Ordinance of the Supper attended to
Fourth Saturday in July 1836 Church met...service by Brethren Anderson & Muse. The Church request the Clerk to prepare a letter to the association to be red at next meeting.

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August Meeting find all in peace & letter prepared to the Association & John J & Joseph Whitaker with Joseph Sebastian request to be the bearers of sd letter

September Meeting Diving being attended to find all in peace
Agreed that we endervour to keep up a weekly prays meeting
October Meeting divine Service being attend to find all in peace
Sister Nancy Hugs dismissed by letter

November, December, January, February, March, April (no data, Ed.)
May Meeting...The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper attended..

June Meeting...divine service
July Meeting divine service
Agreed that we hold a protracted meeting to comence the Monday before the fifth Sunday in this month

5th Sun in July 1837
Our protracted Meeting commenced acording to appointment attende by Kimbrough & Halcomb Muse Brown & others & we ware in couraged from the commencement of the meeting that the Lord would visit us & we Trust that he has visited us in much misery & while his children was edifyed & their hearts made to rejoice a goodly number of our children & friends ware hopefully converted to the truth twelve being received by experience & baptism (To wit)

Martha Whitaker	Sally Ann Whitaker
Susan Whitaker	Mary M Whitaker
Nancy Sebastian	Elizabeth Gattis
Elizabeth Winn	Mrs Jones
James King	Mississa Bridges
Robert Allison	A Coloured Woman Dr Tmithy
Cetha Freeman	Washington Whitaker

Sister Blackwell received by Letter

Third Saturday in August 1837
Church met....reception of members Sister Roda Bridges came forward & was received by letter from Franklin Cty North Carolina
Third Saturday in September 1837
Church met...myself being absent at Juror at the Federal Court at Nashville John J. Whitaker, C.C.
October meeting find all in peace
November meeting find all in peace Bro Ambrose Gilbert visits us & by request agrees to continue his visits for one year.

December meeting find all in peace Sister Elizabeth Reece granted a letter of dismission on Sunday. The oridnance of the supper attended to Bro Gilbert & Kimbrough to the service.
January Meeting 1838 Third Saturday
Church met find all in peace divine service attended to by Bro Gilbert

Third Saturday in February in February 1838
Church met...Bro Gilbert absent
Third Saturday in March 1838
Church met...Bro Gilbert & Kimbrough in attendance. This Church and Cumberland presbyterian having mutually agreed to

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build a partnership meeting House & an article of agreement having been drafted for that purpose it is hereby sanctioned by the church unamimously and ordered to be signed by the Clerk & deacons and as my ____ others as think fit to do so

Third Saturday in April, May, June 1838 Church met.....

Third Saturday in July 1838
Church met ...Agreed to hold a protrracted meeting to commence the Monday before the fifth Lords day in this month at which time we had a refresing season several having professed for find Christ precious to their souls Sarah Blackwell was received by experience and Baptism

Third Saturday in August 1838
Church met...the clerk appointed to write a letter to the Association to be read on tomorrow appointed members to bear it (to Wit) Josep Sebastian Thomas Whitaker & John J. Whitaker The letter read on Sunday & received

Third Saturday in September 1838
Church met...the members appointed to bear our letter to the association report as follows that the association have declared a _____ fellowship for all the mishinaryes the Baptist State convention in all its branches and for all that abet or in anyway aid them when the above named vote was taken your messengers left their seats biding the association farewell Inquiry being made whether this church apporbate the conduct of their messengers & it is unaminously approbated by the vote of this church
On Sunday after a sermon by Bro A Gilbert a door being opened for the recrption of members Benj J Whitaker & wife Sa__h was received by experience & baptism

Third Saturday in October 1838
Church met and after divine service inquiry being made for fellowship ...application granted a letter of dismission to Sister Sarah Blackwell also to John W. King and Robert Allison

Third Saturday in November 1838
Church met...on application granted letters of dismission to Sister Mary Allison

Third Saturday in December Chirch met...

Third Saturday in January 1839
Church met...and after prays by Bro J.J. Whitaker dismissed
Bro Gilbert absent

Third Saturday in February 1839
Church met...service by Bro Gilbert The Church request Bro.
* A. Gilbert-inqery made for fellowship John J Whitaker bring complaint against Bro Henry Warren.....& the case laid over & Bro Thomas Whitaker & Joseph Sebastian appointed to see him & invite him to attend our next meeting.
* (Bro Gilbert was asked to attend in the capacity of pastor, which he agreed to do.) The remaining part of the entry of Feb. 1839 should appear under "Third Saturday March 1839" This is an error of typing. Ed.

BALL FORK BAPTIST CHURCH OF CHRIST AT MULBERRY

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Third Saturday in April 1839
Church met....sermon by Bro A Gilbert inqery made for fellowshi½
John J Whitaker brings a complaint against Bro Henry Warren..
after discussion had there on satisfaction not being obtained
laid over to our next meeting appointed our brethren Thomas
Whitaker Isaac Sebastian & John J Whitaker to bear our letter
to Liberty Association which is to site at this place the five
day before the third lords day in May next

Third Saturday in May 1839
The Liberty baptist association having covened on froiday before
& we by our messengers uniting with them the church agree to refer
the case of Bro Henry Warren to our June meeting Brethren Halcole
Seal cate & the Gilberts Leftwich & Whitman being in attendance
they preached the word & the Lord by his spirit accompaned it &
3 white gods children ware edifyed sinners ware made to moun and
we trust a goodly number ware made to rejoice in Jesus as their
Saviour On wensday door was opened for the reception of members
Robert N Whitaker Thomas Whitaker Junr Albert King Eliza King
Blackwell on Thrusday John F. Whitaker & on Sunday Wilson
King Syntha Steed Mrs Thompson Claiy Winkler eight of the
above ware Baptised on sunday on Sunday the sacrament of supper
was attended also

Third Saturday in June
Church met and after sermon by Bro Brasin.....Took up the ref-
ference relating to Bro Henry Warren and he failing to attend
meeting once April the church vote him out of fellowship

On sunday a door being opened for the reception of members Calvin
Solomon John Solomon Wm Whitaker Wiliam Ramsey James Toon Bap-
tised 3 meeting on Monday Received John Hust and Baptised 8
N.B. Newton Whitaker & Mrs Walker were received as by letter
from Mount Moriah

Third Saturday in July 1839
Church met.....By request of Bro John J Whitaker he is released
from being Clk and Bro Isaac Sebastian appointed in his room the
clerk to prepare a letter to the association on application
granted a letter of dismission to sister Martha Kimbrough

Third saturday in August 1839
Church met...Appointed our Bre Joseph Whitaker John J Whitaker
James J Toon & in case of failur Thomas Whitaker agreed to bear
letter to the association Agreed that we send one dollar for
printing the minuetes

John J Whitaker, Clk

The End of the Church Under the Old Association September 1839
The End of this old Association
Baptized 7
Recd by letter 3

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(This is from the same book but the name of Church changes.)

THE UNiTED BAPTIST CHURCH AT THE FORKS OF MULBERRY 1839

Third Saturday Sept. 1839
After Divine servis being attended to Enquery being made for peace all in fellowship by application for letter by Aron of coler which was granted Allso granted a letter of dismission to sister Baxter Dismissed in order I.J. Sebastian, clk

Third Sturday in October 1839
The Church met according to apointment after divine servis being attended to Enquery being made for fellowship all in peace a door being opened for the receipt of members, Nancy Shoftner came forward and was received by Experience also received Frances Whitaker by letter also received sister Noles by Ex perience Dismit in order I.J. Sebastian, clk

On Sunday Baptised one _____

Third Saturday November 1839
After divine servis being attended to Enquiry being made for fellowship all in peace Dismessed in or I.J. Sebastian, Clk

Third Saturday in December 1839
The Church met agreeable to apointment find all in peace Dismissed in Order I.J. Sebastian, Clk.

RECORD OF THE CHURCH AT THE FORKS OF MULBERY FOR THE YEAR 1840

Third Satturday in January 1840
The Church met in consquence of bad wether no business Don on saturday on Sunday preaching by B other A. Gilbert. I.J. Sebastian

Third Saturday in February 1840
They Church met agreeable to apointment after sermon by Bro. John Gilbert Enquery being made for fellowship all appears to be At Peace A door being opened for reception of members Sister Elizabeth D. Bright came forward and was received by letter from the Church at Nashville. I.J. Sebastian, Clk.

Third Saturday in March 1840
The church met according to apointment after preaching by Bro. Brome. Enquery being made for fellowship the church all in Peace and fellowship.. Dismissed in Order I.J. Sebastian, Clk.

Third Saturday in April 1840
After divine servis being atended to Enquiry being made the Church are all in peace a door being opened for the reception of members Mrs. Cannon came forward and was received by expereince as a member of this Church on motion by Bro. T. Whitaker that the Church raise a fund for the purpos of Defraing the Expences of the Church which was agreed to Dismissed in Order I.J. Sebastian, Clk.

On Sunday a door being opened for the Reception of member three came forward and was recieved by Experience namely Dick servant of Bro. Jos. Whitaker Meril Servant of Bro. J.J. Whitaker Easter Servant of Bro. Newton Whitaker all ware Baptised the same day sister Cannon was Baptised. I.J.S., Clk.

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BALL FORK BAPTIST CHURCH OF CHRIST OF MULBERRY

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Third Saturday in May 1840
After Divine servis was attended to Enquiry being made for fellowship all are in Peace the Church agree to pay Bro. Blackwell twelve and a half cents for each time he sweeps the Meeting house for twelve months that is once before all our appointments. I.J. Sebastian, Clk.

On Sunday a door being opened Patty came servant of John T. King and was received into the Church by Experience.

Third Saturday in June 1840
After Divine Servis being attended to Enquiry being made... Sister Martha Holman from Mt. Olivet was recieved by leter & Prudence Smith Recd by Experience Bro. Willis Bridges by Restoration. A request sent to us from Frenship Bedford County for the Eldership of our Church to attend their next conference for the purpose ordaining Bro. Anderson to the Ministry the Request wit recd & granted

Third Saturdy in July 1840
...granted letters of Dismission to Zeak and sucy servants of Mrs. Whitaker

→ There was at this meeting July there was Bro Cimbrough Bro. Holman & Anderson with our regular minister Bro A. Gilbert

Third Saturdy in August 1840
....N____ Stead came forward & was received by Experience the Church procede to appoint messengers to bear our letter to the Assosiation the Church apoint our Bro. J.J. Whitaker W. Bridges & Joseph Whitaker and in case of falure B.J. Whitaker apoint Bro. J.J. Whitaker with the Clerk to prepare a letter to the Association.

First Saturday in September 1840
...the litter to the Association was red and reced the Church consult about obtaining a Minister to labour for this Church

The third Association is to held at the Forkes Mulberry

Third saturday October 1840
...the church appoint our Brothern Joseph Whitaker I.J. Sebastian and Newton Whitaker to rite a letter to Bro. Cimbrough to come & take the Pastorel are of saud church resolved that the Church pay one half for a stove for said Church

Third Saturday in November 1840 A.D.
...sister Thurza Ann Loyd recd by letter
On Sunday Sarah Cashen Joined by Experience
The Rev. Bradly Kimbrough agree to take the Pasterel care of the Church at the Forks of Mulbery for the Ensuing year 1841...

Third Saturday in December 1840
The Elder B. Kimbrough agree to attend the Church for twelve months the Bro. Kimbrough Joined by letter

On Sunday Received Sally servant of George Cannon by letter and Baptised Sarah Cashen

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Third Saturday in January 1841
...raise a fund to pay for sweaping the meting house Joseph Whitaker paid 25 ¢ John J. Whitaker paid 25¢ Newton Whitaker paid 12½ ¢ Balance due Bro. Blackwell for sweaping meetinghouse 8 times 37½ cents

Third Saturday in February 1841
...all in Peace

Third Saturday in March 1841
..after preaching by Bro. Kimbrugh ...all in Peace

Third Saturdy in April 1841
...William Rhea came forward and was received by experience allso Norcisa Bridges by experience Bro. Joseph Whitaker agree to atend the Adyou____ with the other delegates J.J. Whitaker and John Solomon

Third Saturday in May 1841
...all in peace

Third Saturday in June 1841
In Consiquence of Rain only a part the Church met and thereby not business don

On Sunday a door being opened for the reception of member Jesse servant of Bro. Joseph Whitaker was recd by experience

Third Saturday in July A.D. 1841
...all in peace

Third Saturday August A.D. 1841
...apoint our Bro. Elder B. Kimbrough J.J. Whitaker & Thos Whitaker Delegates to the Association

Third Saturday in September 1841
The Association met on Fridy 17th Sep. 1841 with us according to adjournment in consequence our Church held ___conference with the meeting was interesting and we hope the Lord was with us in his holy Spirit and the saints was made to rejoice and Sinners made to tremble and ___ for mercy and we hope a great many found Christ in a pardon of their Sins on monday an oppertunity was given for the reception of members into the Church Margaret Blackwell came forward and was recd by experience Tuesday the Church held a conference opened the Doors for the recdption of Members in the Church Finnetta Whitaker Benjamin Stinett Juliann Solomon, J. Seal A. Gilber Anderson and Lee
On Wednesday the Church sat in conference and opened the door for the reception of members Thomas H. Freeman, Samuel P. White Berry Duke and Lewis servant of N. Whitaker Jesse servant of Bro. Thos. Whitaker all came forward and was recd by experience Brother Hanes Kimbrough and Brame in attendance the Lord poured out his Spirit upon the people and the Saints rejoiced and Sinners cried out what Shall we do to be Saved.

On Thursday the Church recd Margaret Campabel Elisabeth Ann White Betty servant of Bro. Joseph Whitaker Usly servant of Thos. Whitaker Be_ford servant B.J. Whitaker Fed servant____

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Pupils for 1871-72 Oak Hill Institute

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THE END

ROBERT CONNELL-War of 1812

Contributed by Arthur M. Reagan, Alexandria, Va.

War of 1812 Bounty Land Claim W.O. 22822 W.C. 16399 S.C. Service

Robert Connell married Elizabeth Springer in Lincoln Co., Tenn. on 19 July 1820, by Samuel Buchanon, J.P. Robert died in LCT on 15 Sept. 1845. The widow's affidavit of 20 Apr. 1855 was witnessed by Eson Colter and George P. Stevens.

Affidavit quotes from old Bible record:
"Robert Connel and Elizabeth Springer was married July 19, 1820."
"Four children were born to them two died in infancy. One of them, Mary Ann, who married V.C. Isom is still living. As shown by the same Family Bible she was born July 15, 1821. Thos. Connel a son was born Sept. 4, 1823 and died Sept. 18, 1867."

William Dickson married in Bedford County, Tennessee to Miss Wortham, daughter of John Wortham, Esq. (Dec 23, 1826) NBNW

John Douglass married in Madison County, Tennessee to Margaret Braden. (March 31, 1827) NBNW

Mr. Farney married in Shelbyville, Tennessee to Miss Martha Farney. (Oct 7, 1826) NBNW

John Farrar married in Bedford County, Tennessee to Miss Mariam Blair. (Oct 6, 1832) NBNDA

George Fisher married in Bedford County, Tennessee to Miss Rebecca Shearon. (Dec 14, 1831) NBNW

Thomas G. Flint married in Bedford County, Tennessee to Mary A. Newton. (Dec 17, 1833) NBNDA

Thomas B. Flintum married in Bedford County, Tennessee to Miss Charlotte Doak, daughter of Captain David Doak. (Feb 22, 1833) NBNDA & NRSG

John Foster married in Bedford County, Tennessee to Miss Eliza Harmon. (Jan 23, 1835) NBNW

William Galbreath married at Shelbyville, Tennessee to Miss Mary B. Evans, daughter of Jesse Evans, Esq. (Feb 24, 1826) NB

John C. Gilbert married in Bedford County, Tennessee to Miss Rachel Roberts. (June 20, 1833) NBNDA

William Gilchrist, Esq., Attorney at Law in Shelbyville, married in Bedford County, Tennessee to Miss Martha A. Jones, eldest daughter of the late Col. Fanning Jones. (Oct 18, 1832) NBNDA

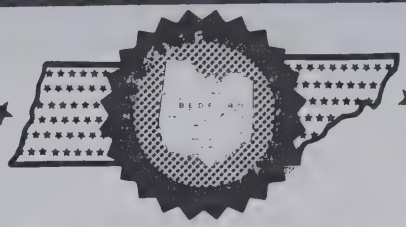
Captain Jacob Gingery of Shelbyville, Tennessee married in Rutherford County, Tennessee to Miss Elizabeth Fisher. (Oct 7, 1826) NBNW

Sterling Goodrum married in Shelbyville, Tennessee to Miss Elizabeth Burditt. (Aug 24, 1833) NBNDA

Mr. Guinn of Warren County, Tennessee married in Bedford County, Tennessee to Miss Margaret Davidson, daughter of Hugh Davidson, Esq. (Nov 13, 1832) NBNDA

Pumfrey Haile married in Bedford County, Tennessee to Miss Susan Hively of Bedford County, Tennessee. (Jan 4, 1832) NBNA

Anderson Hailey married in Bedford County, Tennessee to Mrs. Ruth McFarland. (Aug 19, 1834) NBNDA



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s. married on Thursday last at
Lemore daughter of Col. J. C.

County to Miss Sarah Hart.
., April 18, 1831)

Samuel L. Hill.

son County to Miss Kitchens.
., 14th Jan. 1831)

le, Ky. to Miss Henrietta Arcambal.
., April 14, 1827)

liam C. Paine.

to David D. Bill, Esq.

County to Miss Polly Eppes.

rried near Manchester on Thursday
nchester.
4, 1838)

ohn Craighead.

rried in Hazlegreen, Ala. to Miss

t., Dec. 13, 1828)

ibson, Miss. to Miss Margaret M.

e County to Miss Lumima Axley.
i., Sept. 9, 1831)

eph Mason.

ia married on Thursday evening
to Miss Jane Griffin of Winchester,

ed., May 6, 1835)

John M. Slealey.

r. Asa Messer.

ille to Miss Sophia W. Hall on last

e (Wed., July 17, 1833)

shville, Tuesday evening 16th
Miss Sophia W. Hall.
dvertiser (Thurs., July 18, 1833)

en County, Miss. to Miss Mary Hamer.
at., Dec. 30, 1826)

lly Whitfield.

d on Tuesday evening last. to Miss

Gibson, Mr. Stephen aged 59 married in Manchester, Ky. to Miss Amelia Strong aged 16.
National Banner & Nashville Whig (Wed., March 23, 1831)

Gibson, Mr. Thomas married in Jefferson county to Miss Kitchens.
National Banner & Nashville Whig (Fri., Jan. 14, 1831)

Gibson, Mr. Robias of Mississippi married to Miss Louisiana B. Hart.
National Banner & Nashville Whig (July 28, 1827)

Gibson, Mr. Wm. married on Tuesday evening last by the Revd. Mr. Campbell to Miss Rebecca Adams both of this city.
The Clarion & Tennessee Gazette (November 21, 1820)

Gideon, Miss Mary W. married to David T. Moss.

Gifford, Miss Ann married to Mr. William Louallen.

Gift, Mr. Robt. married in Shelby County, Ten. to Mrs. Williams.
National Banner & Nashville Daily Advertiser (Mon., Aug. 26, 1833)

Gilbert, Mr. Ambrose B. married in Lincoln County to Miss Sarah Wright.
National Banner & Nashville Whig (Sat., Aug. 12, 1826)

Gilbert, Miss Catherine married to Mr. George Green.

Gilbert, Mr. James married in Logan County, Ky. to Miss Jane Rush.
National Banner & Nashville Whig (Sat., July 29, 1826)

Gilbert, Mr. John C. married in Bedford County to Miss Rachel Roberts.
National Banner & Nashville Daily Advertiser (Thurs., June 20, 1833)

Gilbert, Miss Lucy Ann married to Mr. John M'Gonegil.

Gilbert, Miss Mary married to Mr. George L. Lenard.

Gilbert, Mr. Miles G. married in Logan County, Ky. to Miss Mary Carr.
National Banner & Nashville Whig (Sat., Dec. 30, 1826)

Gilchrist, Miss Catherine married to Mr. George Green.

Gilchrist, Mr. Malcomb J. of Lawrence County, Ala. married on Wednesday the 17th inst. at Farmers Joy by the Rev. C. D. Elliott to Miss Frances A. Foster daughter of James H. Foster of Davidson County.
The Christian Record (Sat., Nov. 27, 1847)

Gilchrist, Mr. Philip P. of Ala. married by the Rev. Dr. Lapsley on the 23rd inst. to Miss Sarah E. Moore eldest daughter of Rebert I. Moore, Esq. of Nashville.
The Politician & Weekly Nashville Whig (Wed., Sept. 29, 1847)

Gilchrist, William Esq. Attorney at law of Shelbyville married in Bedford County to Miss Martha A. Jones eldest daughter of the late Col. Fanning Jones.
National Banner & Nashville Daily Advertiser (Thurs., Oct. 18, 1832)

Giles, Miss married to Mr. James Shaffer.

Giles, Miss Lucy W. married to Mr. Wm. O. Smithson.

Giles, Mr. Milton married near Cairo to Miss Sarah Hamilton.
National Banner & Nashville Whig (Sat., Jan. 6, 1827)

Giles, Mr. Wm. married in Williamson County, Ten. to Miss Mary Young.
National Banner & Nashville Whig (Fri., Jan. 9, 1835)

Gilhouley, Miss Mary married to Mr. Hugh O'Neil, Jr. Esq.

Marriages from Early Tennessee Newspapers 1794-1851

Edited By:
The Rev. Silas Emmett Lucas, Jr.

do transfer and convey to the said William C. Butler his heirs and assigns forever all the right and title vested in me by said recited deed to the above described slaves - To have and to hold to the said Wm. C. Butler his heirs and assigns forever and I do further transfer and assign to the said Wm. C. Butler his heirs and assigns all the right and benefit of said warranty in said deed to me contained in as full a manner as under said deed I can or should but I assign and convey as trustee and not otherwise this 3rd day of May 1843 -

Jas. R. Hester (Seal)

State of Tennessee Lincoln County - Personally appeared before me George W. Jones Clerk of the County Court of said Lincoln County the within named James R. Hester with whom I am personally acquainted and who acknowledged that he executed the within named Bill of sale for the purposes therein contained - Witness my hand at office this 3 - day of May 1843 -

G. W. Jones clerk

Recd. 3rd May at 1 O'clock P.M. & Registered 6th May 1843 -

Abraham Dudney to John Gilbert	This Indenture made and entered into this twelfth day of August eighteen hundred and thirty one - Between Abraham Dudney of the first part and John Gilbert of the second part, Witnesseth that the

said Abraham Dudney have this day bargained sold & conveyed to the said John Gilbert for and in consideration of the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars to him in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged the following several tracts or parcels of land, lying and being in the County of Lincoln and State of Tennessee on the waters of the east branch of Cane creek the first lot or parcel of sixty acres being the same whereon said Dudney now lives & conveyed by deed to him from Pittsburg & Stone bounded as follows, beginning at a white oak & Black oak the north west corner of a twenty five acre tract in the name of Wm. Murray (now a part of this 60 acre tract now being conveyed) running thence East one hundred poles to a white oak & Redoak on the side of a hill thence south fifty eight poles to two beeches thence west twelve and one third poles to a stake thence south thirty four poles to a dogwood & gum & white oak thence west eighty five and two third poles to a sycamore thence north fifty eight poles to a stake thence west forty poles to a sycamore & black walnut on the line of Ephraim King's land thence north twenty eight poles to a Beech and double gum thence west forty poles to a hickory & hornbeam thence thence North four poles to the beginning - one other tract of sixty four acres and forty nine poles entered by the sd. Abraham Dudney under the one cent law. beginning at the north west corner of the above sixty acre survey, running north to Joseph Hearkins line thence East passing said 60 acre tract south east corner thence south to Saml. Cunningham's land thence west to a hollow, thence north to the west line of the first named sixty acre tract distance not here given to be found in the original entry in the name of [illegible] in the land office at Hagerstville; one other part of one

hundred & fifty acre tract entered in the name of Elizabeth Rumsey under the one cent Law and by him assigned over to Abraham Lindsey adjoining and connected with the two before recited tracts of land beginning on the west line of the last named 64 acre tract where Samuel Cunninghams corner on the same - running with the courses and distances of the said 157 acre entry so as to include twenty acres of the same on the fourth west end of the same, lying immediately on the west side of the first mentioned fifty acre tract being that part reserved by said Lindsey in the conveyance of One hundred and thirty acres of said entry to Ephraim Ruiz to have and to hold all and every of the before recited lands and tenements premises with all the hereditaments thereunto belonging unto the said John Gilbert his heirs and assigns forever. The said Abraham Lindsey hereby binding himself his heirs and assigns forever to warrant and defend the same from all and every person whomsoever. Given under my hand and seal the day and year first above written -

Witness Wm Lowrey
George Blakemore -

Abraham Lindsey (Seal)

State of Tennessee Lincoln County -

Personally appeared before me George W. Jones Clerk of the County Court of said Lincoln County Pt being known to me that William Lowrey one of the subscribing Witnesses to the within deed resides beyond the limits of this State and that George Blakemore the other subscribing witness to the same is dead / Thomas L. Ready and David A. Hopkins who being first duly sworn depose and say they are acquainted with the hand writing of Abraham Lindsey and that from their knowledge of the same they believe the signature to the within named deed "Abraham Lindsey (Seal)" to be the true & genuine signature of the said Abraham Lindsey Witness my hand at office this 4th day of May 1843.

G. W. Jones clerk

Rec'd - 4th May at 4 O'clock P.M. & Registered 8th May 1843 -

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C. Smith Atty for B. deed
Richd R. Suffers

Whereas Richard R. Suffers recovered a Judgment for the sum of fifty one dollars and twenty cents besides costs against Robert R. Bowles before William Bryan a Justice of the Peace for Lincoln County Tennessee on the 13th of May 1842 upon which Judgment a writ of Execution was issued by said Bryan on the day of 1842 which was placed in the hands of Stephen C. Wright then a Constable of said County and who not being able to find any goods & chattels of said Bowles levied the same on One hundred acres of land as the property of said Bowles lying on Elections creek in said County bounded on the east by the lands of Patterson & others & returned the Execution so levied to the P. William Bryan who returned into the Circuit Court of said County at the June Term 1842 thereof all the papers pertaining to said judgment, and thereupon said Court condemned said land to be sold according to Law to satisfy the said judgment and all the costs that had accrued thereon. And on the 2nd day July 1842 there was issued by the clerk of said Circuit Court a writ directed to the Sheriff of

said County commanding him to expose to sale according to law all the right title claim & interest that John K. Bowles had in & to the said tract of to satisfy the judgment & costs aforesaid. In pursuance of which writ the Sheriff of said County after having advertised & given notice according to law on the 1st day of October 1842 did offer the said tract of land at public sale at the Court house door of Lincoln County agreeably to said advertisements & notices and Richard R. Siffers being the highest bidder the same was struck off to him at the price of fifty nine dollars & ninety four cents - The same being to Hannan Rudisill deputy Sheriff paid the highest bid - Therefore in consequence of the premises I do transfer and convey to the said Richard R. Siffers & his heirs forever all the right and title of the said John K Bowles to the said tract of land of One hundred acres for the Consideration aforesaid paid as aforesaid. To have and to hold the same unto the said Richard R. Siffers his heirs and assigns forever in as full and ample a manner as I as Sheriff aforesaid can or ought to convey the same, but no further or otherwise - This 6th day of May 1843 -

Constant Smith (Seal)
Sheriff of Lincoln County
Tennessee

State of Tennessee - Personally appeared before me George W Sons Clerk of the County Court of Lincoln County Constant Smith the bargainor with whom I am personally acquainted who acknowledged that he executed the foregoing deed for the purposes therein contained - Given under my hand at office in Fayetteville the 8th day of May 1843 -

G. W. Sons clerk

Recd - 8th May at 11 Colock A.M. & Registered 8th May 1843 -

John Gilbert To Ths Ord W. & H. A. Gilbert

Know all men by these presents that I John Gilbert of the County of Lincoln and State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto W. & H. A. Gilbert of the county and State aforesaid in the sum of Twelve hundred dollars, good and lawful Money of the United States to be paid to the said W. & H. A. Gilbert their Executors administrators and assigns to which payment well and truly to be made I bind myself my heirs Executors and administrators and every of them firmly by these presents, Given under my hand and seal this 23rd November 1840.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above John Gilbert his heirs Executors or administrators shall well and truly make or caused to be made a good and lawful title and deed to the tract of land whereon I now live, Containing One hundred and sixty acres on or before the first day of January One thousand Eighteen hundred and forty four, Then this obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and effect - Given under my hand and seal of the said John Gilbert the date first above written

attest
J. L. Murray
Geo. S. Lenard

John Gilbert (Seal)

For and in consideration of Six hundred dollars in hand to us paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we assign the within bond & by these presents convey the within described tract of land to William Sorrels, Witness our hands and seals this 4th day May 1843 –

W. A. Gilbert (Seal)
L. A. Gilbert (Seal)

State of Tennessee Lincoln County Personally appeared before me George W. Jones Clerk of the County Court of said Lincoln County Thos. D. Murray and George L. Leonard subscribing Witnesses to the within Title bond who being first duly sworn depose and say they are personally acquainted with John Gilbert the obligor and that he acknowledge the same in their presence to be his act and deed on the day it bears date – Witness my hand at office this 6th day of June 1842 –

G. W. Jones clk

Recd 4th May at 4 O'clock P.M. & Registered 8th May 1843 –

W. A. Gilbert Adm
To
William Sorrels
Lot 3 deed 160 acres

Whereas John Gilbert decd in his life time sold to Washington A. Gilbert & Hooton A. Gilbert a certain tract of land & made & executed to them the following bond for title to said tract of land (to wit) "Know all men by these presents that I John Gilbert of the County of Lincoln and State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto W. A. & L. A. Gilbert of the County and State aforesaid in the sum of twelve hundred dollars good and lawful money of the United States, to be paid to the said W. A. & L. A. Gilbert their Executors administrators & assigns to which payment well & truly to be made I bind myself my heirs executors & administrators firmly by these presents Given under my hand and seal this 23d November 1840. The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above John Gilbert his heirs Executors or administrators shall well and truly make or cause to be made a good & lawful title deed to the tract of land wherein I now live, containing one hundred & sixty acres, on or before the first day of January one thousand eight hundred & forty four, then the obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force & effect – Given under the hand & seal of the said John Gilbert, the date first above written – Signed John Gilbert (Seal) attest T. L. Murray, Geo. L. Leonard"; and whereas the said W. A. & L. A. Gilbert having assigned said Bond to William Sorrels in the following words & figures endorsed on the back of said bond, to wit, "For & in consideration of Six hundred dollars in hand to us paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, we assign the within bond & by these presents convey the within tract of land to William Sorrels. Witness our hands and seals this 4th of May 1843" Signed W. A. Gilbert (Seal) L. A. Gilbert (Seal)" And whereas the said John Gilbert departed this life intestate on the day of June 1841 & the County Court for said County of Lincoln & State of Tennessee having at the July term 1841 thereof appointed the said Washington A. Gilbert administrator of the Estate of the said John Gilbert decd & the said William Sorrels having presented the above recited bond & assignments thereon to him & requested a deed to the said tract of land, Now therefore this Indenture made and entered into this 4th day of May 1843 by & between the said Washington A. Gilbert

administrator of John Gilbert decd of the first part & the said William Sorrels of the second part — Witnesseth — That the said Washington A. Gilbert administrator as aforesaid for the consideration of five hundred dollars heretofore paid to the said John Gilbert decd the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged & the further consideration of said bond above recited does hereby, by virtue of the Statute in such cases made & provided, transfer alien & convey unto the said William Sorrels his heirs & assigns forever, a certain tract of land where the said John Gilbert lived at the date of the above recited bond containing one hundred & sixty acres be the same more or less, said tract of land being the same conveyed to the said John Gilbert decd by deed bearing date the 11th day of August 1831 & executed by Abraham Hudnery & also about thirty six acres of the same being described in an Entry in the name of Joseph Hawkins & said John Gilbert decd dated the 12th of November 1836 & making in all one hundred & sixty acres be the same more or less as aforesaid To have and to hold the same to the said William Sorrels his heirs and assigns forever — The said Washington A. Gilbert administrator as aforesaid covenants with the said William Sorrels that he is lawfully seized of said land has a good right to convey the same and that same is unencumbered. He further covenants and binds himself as administrator as aforesaid, his heirs and representatives to warrant & forever defend the title to said land & every part thereof to the said William Sorrels his heirs and assigns forever against the lawful claims of all persons whatever, these covenants are intended to bind the said Washington A. Gilbert as the administrator of John Gilbert decd & no further or otherwise. In Witness whereof the said Gilbert administrator &c. has hereunto set his hand and seal this the same day & date above written —

W. A. Gilbert (Seal)

State of Tennessee }
Lincoln County } Personally appeared before me George W. Davis clerk of the County Court of said Lincoln County the within named Washington A. Gilbert with whom I am personally acquainted and who acknowledged that he executed the within named deed for the purposes therein contained — Witness my hand at office this 4th day of May 1843 —

G. W. Davis clerk

Recd 4th May at 4 O'clock P.M. & Registered 9th May 1843 —

George Hall to Bell Sale Marion Childress	Received of Marion Childress five hundred and fifty dollars in full payment for two Negro slaves to wit, a Girl named Rose about fifteen years old, and a boy named Tom about nine years old. Warrant said Negroes to be sound, saleable and slaves for life. [illegible] the title to said slaves to said

Amt of debits & credits	$144.34	$936.40
By amt of property bought at sale for Dim	3.50	
" " " your a/c against E. Albertson dec^d	30.11	
" " " paid Clk fee for a/c of rents and com	.75	
" " " of your a/c to articles furnished Dim	8.15	
" " " W.M. Hedgepeth & Mr Cunningham included in the above charge of property sold	35.97	
" " " J. Lisk & C. Dillinder note included in the above charge of proceeds of property sold	8.00	
" " " Clark & Hopper note included in the above charge of proceeds of property sold	2.46	
" " " allowed you for executing will	45.00	
" " " Paid Clerks fees for this settlement & record	2.50	301.11
Approved		$635.29

Peter B. McMullin Ch^r

I Washington A. Gilbert adm^r of the estate of John Gilbert dec^d

In account for

1843

May 4th To amt of note M.A. & D.A. Gilbert note due Jany 1st 1842		$200.00
" " " " interest thereon to this date		16.00
" " " note M.A. & D.A. Gilbert due 1 Jany 1843 $200.00 interest $16		216.00
" " " " M.A. & D.A. Gilbert " 1 " 1844 $200. interest thereon to maturity $8 cr		192.00
" " " " D.A. & M.A. Gilbert " 1 " 1842 $100. interest to date $8.		108.00
" " " " D.A. & M.A. Gilbert " 1 " 1843 $100. interest to date $2.		102.00
" " " " D.A. & M.A. Gilbert " 1 " 1844 $100. interest thereon to maturity cr $4		96.00
" " " " D.A. & M.A. Gilbert " 23 Dec 1840 cr off $23.30 interest to date $3.26		26.57
Cash on change ticket 23d Rec^d from association $13.		13.23
Proceeds of property sold due Sept 31st 1842 $184.05 interest $9.20		193.23
Contra Cr		$1133.07
By amt paid George D. Lenard a/c	$60.00	
" " " Hugh Murray a/c	36.72	
" " " S.H. Curtis a/c	35.32	
" " " Mr J. Hop atto fee	5.00	
" " " Clerk fee for bond, letters, return &c	3.00	
" " " by you to John Farne for John Gilbert a/c 14th 1841	24.94	
" " " of interest on payment to John Farne to date	3.06	
" " " a/c to M. & Lacky Sept 16th 1841 $29.92 interest $2.93	32.85	
" " " J.M. Blake Oct 4th 1841 $2.25 interest 20¢	2.45	
" " " note & interest to Jos Crosson dec 25th 1842 $84.81 Int $1.69	86.50	330.04
Carried over		

Amounts of debits and credits brot over	$322.04	$5207
By amt paid for a/c & interest to John Lanier	7.84	
" " " a/c " " " B. J. Dearden	5.32	
" " " fee for registering from A. Dudley	1.62	
" " " a/c & interest to D. A. Gilbert	17.75	
" " " Clerk fee for this settlement & record	2.50	
" " " allowance for administering the estate	30.00	415.11
		$737.96

William T. Roff admr of the Estate of John Grier Decd. in account with

1843			
			Dr
April 25	To amt collected of Thomas J. Grier after deducting atty fee		$430.00
" " "	" of interest accrued on the above from John M. Roff		12.31
" " "	" collected on David A. Wilkerson note including interest		533.32
" " "	" " Herman Davis note in part		70.00
" " "	collected Thomas Sullivan note		533.00
" " "	A. B. Shull note		12.25
" " "	Henry Snider	note	11.00
" " "	Saml. Commans	"	20.50
" " "	E. Vickers	"	7.33
" " "	Matthew Martin	" & interest	237.55
" " "	James Sulgrave	" "	6.23
" " "	Lucinda L. Grier	" "	37.00
" " "	William Norris	" "	16.15
" " "	Alexander Smith	" "	86.79
" " "	~~of Mrs. C. Blake May 22, 1842~~		60.12
" " "	on Joseph Hinkle's note & interest		31.81
" " "	" John N. McKinny 2 notes	"	66.81
" " "	" S. Mason	" "	74.56
" " "	" C. J. Bell	" "	2.83
" " "	" Mary Blakeman	" "	31.81
" " "	Jesse S. Sibbins & Smith	note	46.73
" " "	Jesse C. Rosebrough	"	46.05
" " "	collected on E. Hill	" & interest	2.93
" " "	" " U. A. Milton	" "	7.56
" " "	a/c of John T. Morgan	"	.23
" " "	" " C. Bayles		31.50
" " "	" " W. L. Berry		1.45
" " "	" " A. Smith		2.30
" " "	of interest accrued on money advanced by you to Sarah his sister		45.82
" " "	of William R. Grier with interest		56.00
			$3576.55

Amount of debits and credits brot over	$322.04	$552.07
By amt paid for use & interest to Peter Lanier	7.84	
" " " use " " " B. J. Dearden	5.32	
" " " fee for registering from A. Dudney	1.62	
" " " use & interest to D. A. Gilbert	17.75	
" " " Clerk fee for this settlement & record	2.30	
" " " allowance for administering the estate	50.00	412.11
		$137.96

William T. Rogers admr. of the Estate of John Grier Decd. in account with

1843		
	In account Dr	
April 25th	Amt collected of Thomas J. Grier after deducting attn fee	$430.00
" " "	" of interest accrued on the above from Peter M. Rogers	22.31
" " "	" collected on Sarah A. Wilkinson note including interest	533.32
" " "	" Melvin Davis note in part	20.00
" " "	collected James Fulton note	533.00
" " "	A. B. Skull note	13.25
" " "	Henry Snider note	11.00
" " "	Saml. Common "	20.50
" " "	E. Vickers "	7.75
" " "	Matthew Martin " & interest	937.35
" " "	James Fulgham " "	6.25
" " "	Lucinda L. Grier " "	27.00
" " "	William Norris " "	16.18
" " "	Alexander Smith " "	86.75
" " "	~~of Mrs. C. Blake May 22, 1842~~	~~60.12~~
" " "	in Joseph Hinkle's note & interest	21.81
" " "	" John V. McKinny 2 notes "	66.81
" " "	" S. Mason " "	74.56
" " "	" C. S. Bell " "	2.83
" " "	" Mary Blakeman " "	21.81
" " "	Sum of Lorbine A. Smith's note	46.73
" " "	Sum of Rosebrough "	46.05
" " "	Collected on E. Hill " & interest	2.93
" " "	" " U. A. Wilson " "	7.56
" " "	use of John T. Morgan "	.23
" " "	" " C. Bayles	31.50
" " "	" " W. L. Berry	1.40
" " "	" " A. Smith	2.30
" " "	of interest due on money advanced by you to Sam his & others	45.82
" " "	of William H. Grier with interest	56.00
		$3576.55

Amt of debit & credit	$144.34	$936.60
By amt of property bought at sale for dim	3.80	
" " " your a/c against E. Albertson dec'd	30.11	
" " " paid clerk fee for a/c of rents and com	.75	
" " " of your a/c for articles furnished dim	5.13	
" " " L.M. Hedgepeth & Mr Cunningham included in the above charge of property sold	35.97	
" " " S Lisk & C Gillinder note included in the above charge of proceeds of property sold	8.00	
" " " Clark & Hopper note included in the above charge of proceeds of property sold	2.44	
" " " allowed you for executing will	45.00	
" " " Paid clerk fee for this settlement & record	2.50	301.11
Approved		$635.29

Peter S. McMullin Ch.r

Washington A. Gilbert admr of the estate of John Gilbert dec'd

1863		In account Dr
May 21st	To amt of note M.A. & D.A. Gilbert note due Jany 5th 1862	$200.00
" "	" " interest thereon to this date	36.00
" "	" note M.A. & D.A. Gilbert due 1 Jany 1863 $200.00 interest $4	204.00
" "	" " M.A. & D.A. Gilbert " 1 " 1864 $200. interest thereon to maturity $8 off	192.00
" "	" " D.A. & M.A. Gilbert " 1 " 1862 $100. interest to date $8.	108.00
" "	" " D.A. & M.A. Gilbert " 1 " 1863 $100. interest to date $3.	102.00
" "	" " D.A. & M.A. Gilbert " 1 " 1864 $100. interest thereon to maturity off $4	96.00
" "	" " D.A. & M.A. Gilbert " 25 Dec 1860 no off $233 interest to date $3.26	26.37
	Cash on change ticket 23f Rec'd from association $15.	15.23
	Proceeds of property sold due Jany 31st 1862 $184.05 interest $9.20	193.25
	Contra Cr	$1152.07
By amt paid	George L. Lenane a/c	$60.00
" "	" Hugh Murray a/c	36.72
" "	" J.H. Curtis a/c	35.32
" "	" Mr J. Nap atty fee	5.00
" "	" clerk fee for bond, letters, return &c	3.00
" "	" by you to John Jones for John Gilbert a/c 18th 1861	24.94
" "	" of interest on payment to John Jones to date	3.06
" "	" a/c to M. & Lacey Depts 18th 1861 $29.92 interest $2.53	32.53
" "	" J.M. Blake Oct 4th 1861 $2.25 interest 20¢	2.45
" "	" note & interest to Jd Crosson Dec 25th 1861 $34.51 int $1.69	36.20 $330.04
	Carried over	

Amt of debits & credits	$144.34	$936.40
By amt of property bought at sale for debt	3.50	
" " " your a/c against E. Albertson dec.d	30.11	
" " " paid clerk fee for a/c of rents and expn	.75	
" " " of your a/c for articles furnished debt	8.13	
" " " L.M. Hedgepeth & Mr Cunningham included in the above charge of property sold	25.97	
" " " S Lisk & G Dillinder note included in the above charge of proceeds of property sold	8.00	
" " " Clark & Hopper note included in the above charge of proceeds of property sold	2.44	
" " " allowed you for executing will	45.00	
" " " Paid clerk fee for this settlement & recd	2.50	301.11
Approved		$635.29

Peter G. McMullin Ch.r

I Washington A Gilbert admr of the estate of John Gilbert dec.d

1843		In account Dr
May 31st	To amt of note W.A. & D.A. Gilbert note dated July 5th 1842	$200.00
" "	" interest thereon to this date	46.00
" "	" note W.A. & D.A. Gilbert due May 1843 $200.00 interest $4	204.00
" "	" " W.A. & D.A. Gilbert " 1 " 1844 $200. interest thereon to maturity $8 cr off	192.00
" "	" " D.A. & W.A. Gilbert " 1 " 1842 $100. interest to date $8.	108.00
" "	" " D.A. & W.A. Gilbert " 1 " 1843 $100. interest to date $2.	102.00
" "	" " D.A. & W.A. Gilbert " 1 " 1844 $100. interest thereon to maturity cr off $4	96.00
" "	" " D.A. & W.A. Gilbert " 25 Dec 1840 cr off $233.31 interest to date $326	26.37
	Cash on change ticket 23f Rec.d from association $15.	15.23
	Proceeds of property sold due Sept 31st 1842 $184.05 interest $9.20	193.23
	Contra Cr	$1153.07

By amt paid George D Lenard a/c	$60.00	
" " " Hugh Murray a/c	36.72	
" " " J.H. Curtis a/c	35.32	
" " " Mr J Nap atty fee	5.00	
" " " clerk fees for bond, letters, return &c	3.00	
" " " by you to John Farra for John Gilbert a/c 16th 1841	24.94	
" " " of interest on payment to John Farra to date	3.06	
" " " a/c to M. & Lacey Sept 16th 1841 $29.92 interest $2.53	32.45	
" " " J.M. Blake Oct 4th 1841 $2.25 interest 20c	2.45	
" " " note & interest to Jos Crosson dec. 25th 1842 $96.50 int $1.69	98.30	$330.04
	Carried over	

Amounts of debits and credits brought over	$330.04	1153.07
By amount paid for & interest to John Lanier	7.88	
" " " " " " " B. F. Dearden	5.33	
" " " fees for registering from J. Dudley	1.62	
" " " " & interest to D. A. Gillis	17.75	
" " " Clerk fees for this settlement & record	2.30	
" " " allowance for administering the estate	50.00	415.11
		$737.96

William T. Hogg admr of the Estate of John Grier Decd. Dr. to Cash

1843		
	In account Dr	
April 25th	Amt collected of Thomas J. Grier after deducting atty fee	$430.00
" " "	" of interest decreed on the above from John M. Hogg	22.31
" " "	" collected on Sarah A. Wilkinson's note including interest	333.32
" " "	" Coleman Davis note in part	20.00
" " "	collected James Sullivan note	833.00
" " "	A. B. Shull note	13.25
" " "	Henry Snider note	11.00
" " "	Joel Commans "	20.30
" " "	E. Vickers "	7.93
" " "	Matthew Martin " & interest	957.35
" " "	James Fulghame " "	6.25
" " "	Lucinda L. Grier " "	27.00
" " "	William Norris " "	16.18
" " "	Alexander Smith " "	86.79
" " "	of Wm. C. Blake ~~note~~ May 22, 1842	60.12
" " "	in Joseph Hinkle's note & interest	21.81
" " "	" John N. McKinney 2 notes "	66.81
" " "	" A. Mason " "	74.36
" " "	" A. J. Bell " "	2.83
" " "	" Mary Blakeman " "	21.81
" " "	Rec'd of Lebro A. Smith's note	46.73
" " "	Rec'd of Rosebrough "	46.05
" " "	collected on E. Hill's " & interest	2.98
" " "	" " N. A. Wilson " "	7.56
" " "	a/c of John T. Morgan "	.25
" " "	" " C. Bayles	31.50
" " "	" " W. L. Berry	1.45
" " "	" " A. Smith	2.30
" " "	of interest amount paid advanced by you to Smith & others	45.82
" " "	of William H. Grier with interest	36.00
		$3576.55

adopted at the time of organization in 1798, and is the name used in official church and associational records ever since.

Rev. James Coleman was called as the first pastor on the day that the church was constituted and served in this capacity until January 2, 1813, when he resigned; he died about one year later "at an advanced age." [1]

The meeting house built in 1789 was either replaced or extensively remodelled during 1806; on May 31st of that year, ". . . three Brethren appointed to wait on Esq. Fort, a commitioner for building sd. Church settled for the building . . . ".

The first Licentiate of the Church was Jesse Pearce, who, on the 6th day of July 1805, was permitted to ". . . exercise his Gifts in the Bounds of the Church . . . ". He was regularly licensed to preach on the 1st of February, 1806, with two other licentiates, Charles Williams and George King. The fourth Licentiate of the church was a "Brother Mason", licensed to preach the gospel on June 1, 1811; this may have been David Mason who closed the February 1812 business meeting with prayer.

During the first 15 years of its existence as a constituted body, Black Creek became the "mother" church of 3 "offspring": in 1812, a "branch" at Price's meeting house was organized and constituted into a separate church in 1814 under the name of "High Hill Creek" Church; also in 1812, the "branch" at New Providence was constituted into a separate church under that name; and on July 3, 1813, the members of the "branch" at Mount Pleasant were dismissed to constitute a "new body" . . . the present Mechanicsville Baptist Church.

On the 18th December, 1816, Thomas Mason became the fifth Licentiate of the church, and soon after was sent to St. David's Academy as a beneficiary of the Charleston Baptist Association. He became the best known of the first five licentiates, serving Baptist Churches throughout South Carolina until his death in the 1860's.

The initiative to create a smaller association of Baptist Churches in 1823 in this area out of the old, large, Charleston Baptist Association appears to have been taken by Black Creek. She petitioned the Charleston body for dismission to join the Moriah, possibly hoping to lead other Darlington District churches to follow suit. At the earnest solicitation of representatives of the Charleston group, Black Creek remained with that body for 7 years until she with other Pee Dee churches formed the Welsh Neck Association.

[1] Minutes of the Charleston Baptist Association, 1814.

The earliest recorded mention of aid to the needy of the church was in July, 1819, when a sum was appropriated from the church treasury for the aid of "old Sister Adams". A year later, in September, 1820, a committee that had been appointed to visit Richard Willeford, a former Clerk of the church, reported that he was " . . . in a Suffering Situation . . ." and that they had ". . . Contributed to his Necessity . . .".

During the decade from the resignation of Rev. James Coleman in 1813, through 1823, the church was served by Revs. John Ellis, John Gilbert, George Pope, Hillsman Hill, Joseph T. Copeland, and John Kennington. Early in 1824, Rev. William Dossey, of the Welsh Neck Baptist Church, was called as a supply to ". . . attend when convenient . . ." and was requested to aid in the revision of the Church Covenant. The revised covenant was adopted in church conference May 22, 1824. Dossey continued as supply through 1826.

On the 3rd of February, 1827, Rev. Thomas Mason was called to the pastoral care of the church wherein he was licensed to preach the gospel 12 years earlier. He served the church until February, 1830. Appointment of the first Negro deacon took place during Mason's pastorate in September, 1829, when "Bro. Cesar" was appointed Deacon ". . . . as a guard for the black members . . .".

After Mason's departure, Rev. W. Q. Beattie of Mechanicsville supplied the church until February, 1831, when a call was extended to Rev. William Kirven of Antioch Baptist Church for part of his time. He served until August, 1835, then removed to Alabama. Rev. James Phillips was pastor in 1836 and 1837, with Revs. William Beck and James Morris attending on several occasions during his absence.

The longest pastorate in the history of Black Creek Church commenced on February 3, 1838—that of Rev. J. O. B. Dargan. He served almost continuously through 43 years, until compelled to resign because of ill health in October, 1881. His long pastorate was one of great progress for the church, and was broken only twice—for a few months in 1867 when the church was served by Rev. Lewis DuPre; and in 1876, when Rev. J. W. Burn was pastor.

Although the church records are vague as to details, a lot of land for a new meeting house was secured in 1839 [2] from Thomas Goodson, an aged soldier of the Revolution who died the following year. The deed specifies that the lot was to be used ". . . for building a meeting house thereon . . .". Rev. J. O. B. Dargan, at the dedication of

[2] Deed Book N, page 344, Public Records of Darlington County, S. C.

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1794 **Wm. and John Gilbert** wit. deed s fk. Durbins Creek, Matthew Bowen to Rolly Bowen.

1805 **John Gilbert** wit. John Walker Moore, Pendleton Co. to Jacob Roberts 2 a N Fk. Durbins Creek.

1807 James Walker Moore to **John Gilbert**, 66 a on Durbin Cr. Wit: James Moore, Obediah Holcombe.

1807 Thomas Parks to **John Gilbert** 21 A on br Durbins Cr. b. on John Walker Moore. Wit: Wm. Gilbert, John Wallis.

1807 Jacob Roberts to **John Gilbert** 100 a on Durbins Cr. Jacob Roberts bought from James Gibson. Wit: Obediah Holcombe, Wm. Gilbert.

1810 Legatees of Jacob Roberts decd: Frances Brown of Rutherford Co., NC, John Meadows, **John Gilbert**, John Roberts, Josiah Dean, Isaac Roberts, Jacob Roberts, Thomas Roberts, John D. Mitchusson to Mrs. Mary Roberts, widow, 179 a on N fk. Durbins Cr.

1810 Josiah Dean to John Meadors exor Jacob Roberts, mortgage on 5 trs. on N fk. Durbin Cr. Wit: **John and Wm. Gilbert.**

1810 Alexr. M. Gilbert of Rutherford Co., NC to Isaac Jacks 180 A on both sides S Fk. Duncans Cr. grant to Wm. Gilbert 1786. Wit: John Witten, **John Gilbert.**

1816 **John Gilbert** to Abrhm Riddlesperger of Greenville Dist 240 A on Durbin Cr. b. on Hudson Berry, John Moores orphans, Ed. Pugh, DR Sally Gilbert.

1816 Abraham Riddlesperger to **John Gilbert** mortgage on tr. on middle & N fks Durbins Cr. b. on Hudson Berry, John Moore orphans, Ed. Pugh.

1816 Patsy Holcomb one of heirs of Moses Holcombe decd to **John Gilbert** 150 A b. on Jesse Wallis, Thos. Parks, Wm. Mountree Jones, incl. cabin where Moses H decd lived.

1818 Jeremiah Gilbert atty for **John Gilbert** acknowledges satisf. on mortgage recorded on p. 135, wit: Archd Young, Wm. Gilbert, Jr.

1818 **John Gilbert** to Allen Willson of Spartanburg Co. all my part in 2 trs:
1. 125 A conv. by Moses Holcomb to **John Gilbert** b on Jesse Wallis, Thos Parks, Wm. Rountree
2. 5 A on spr. br. where said Moses Holcomb's cabin stands

1819 Bookter Gilbert of Clark Co., Ala Terr. to John Gray 120 A on Durbin Cr. of Enoree R. b on Dan'l McKie, Col. John Parks, Jno Robinson, Ed. Pugh & Jacob Roberts. Conveyed by Robt Burton and his children to **John Gilbert** to sd. Bookter Gilbert.

1818-1823 **John Gilbert** unaccounted for; however, his daughter Onea L. Gilbert, b. 1820, who married Malcom McNatt gave her birthplace as TN on the 1850 census.

1824 Ball Fork Baptist Church of Christ in Lincoln Co., TN: A motion made to call **Bro. Gilbert** to attend us with Bro. Boone in the ministry.

1826 Lincoln Co., TN: Marriages of:
Ambrose B. Gilbert to Sarah Wright, 20 Jul 1826
Mary Gilbert to George L. Leonard, 27 Jul 1826

1830 **John Gilbert,** Lincoln Co., TN census, p. 192, NTWL: Only Gilbert in Lincoln County. Cinthia Gilbert, James Gilbert and John C. Gilbert in Bedford County.

10 Aug 1831 **John Gilbert** bought land on East Crane Creek from Abraham Dudney, Bk. q, p. 135, Lincoln Co., TN

Third Sat in April 1840 The United Baptist Church at the Forks of Mulberry: They (sic) church met agreeable to appointment after sermon by **Bro. John Gilbert.**

1840 **John Gilbert** is on the census of Lincoln Co., TN with 2 males under age 5, 1 male age 10-15, 2 males 15-20, 1 male 50-60, 2 females age 15-20, and 2 females age 50-60. One of the males age 15-20 could be Washington Alexander. The other male and one of the females in this same age group could be D.A. Gilbert and his wife Lucretia. The two males under age 5 could be their sons Wash. A. and John R. The other female in the age group 15-20 would be Melinda Caroline. The male age 10-15 is unaccounted for as is the second female age 50-60. If John Gilbert and his wife were 50-60 in 1840, <u>they were born between 1780 and 1790</u>.

21 July 1842 Property of **John Gilbert** deceased sold by W.A. Gilbert to Wm. Sorrells 160 A, Rec'd 4 May 1843, Bk. 1, p. 138, Lincoln Co., TN

COMMENTS

Assuming that the John Gilbert found in Laurens Co., SC records is the same person as Rev. John Gilbert who died in Lincoln Co., TN in 1841, it appears that he was in Laurens Co., SC from at least the mid 1790's until around 1818 when he sold the last of his land to Allen Wilson of Spartanburg Co., SC. John Gilbert began showing in Laurens Co., SC records in 1794, when he was a witness to a deed.

On April 15, 1806, the will of Jacob Roberts, a Baptist minister, was proven in Laurens Co., SC. It is possible that Jacob Roberts wife Mary was the daughter of Thomas Garner whose will was written July 13, 1791, in Laurens Co., SC, and names as one of his children Molley Roberts, Molley being a nickname for Mary which is the name of Jacob Roberts wife as named in his will. One of the children named in Rev. Jacob Roberts' will was a daughter named Sarah Gilbert. Further investigation reveals that this daughter was the wife of John Gilbert. At the time the estate was settled, Sarah Roberts Gilbert's share was received by her husband John Gilbert. In addition, one of Jacob Roberts' other daughters, Copey (sic), had also married a Gilbert. Copey was deceased at the time of her father's death and two of her children received bequests in his will. By the time the estate was settled in 1817, these children were grown and married so the identity of their father is unknown.

This John Gilbert who was the husband of Sarah Roberts bought land on Durbins Creek, on the Enoree River. This is the same area in which Jacob Roberts and the rest of his family lived, except for one of his daughters, Ellender Brown, who was living in Rutherford Co., NC. There are many records of transactions involving John Gilbert, as well as several other Gilbert men, and Jacob Roberts and the rest of his family. There are <u>no</u> records of any transactions between these people and any of the Bourland family who lived further down the River on Duncans Creek.

One incidence that intrigues me is that there was a man named Rezin Holland who lived on Duncans Creek along with a number of other Holland families. Could these be some of the relatives of James Holland who married Sarah Gilbert, daughter of William Gilbert and Sarah McCandless. And, is this were the name Rezin came from for the son of Doc A. and Lucretia Gilbert?

The period of 1818, when John Gilbert sold the last of his land in Laurens Co., SC, to 1824, when Bro. Gilbert is asked to attend the Ball Fork Baptist Church of Christ in the ministry reveals no record of where he was and what he was doing. However, one of his children, Onea L. Gilbert, gave her birthplace in 1850 as Tennessee in 1820. He and his children are fairly easy to trace once they began showing in the records of Lincoln County and Bedford County in TN.

The census record of Lincoln Co., TN shows John Gilbert to be age 50-60; therefore born 1780-1790. This fairly precludes him being the son of William Gilbert and Sarah McCandless. Perhaps he was a grandson of this couple. Two of their sons, William and Phillip, are unaccounted for although they are named in Maury Co., TN records as being heirs of William Gilbert of Rutherford Co., NC. This William Gilbert did have a son named John, but, according to correspondance with one of his descendents, he married Elise Elizabeth Alston, daughter of Phillip Alston in TN about 1794, and died about 1807 in Jefferson Co., MS.

There is a younger William Gilbert who, with wife Sarah, is found in Laurens Co., SC records. His will was recorded there in 1822, and he had a son named John Gilbert. Perhaps this William is the son of William and Sarah (McCandless) Gilbert, and his son John is our Rev. John Gilbert.

So, poor Rev. John Gilbert has no father and an unknown wife. Although John Gilbert appeared to have a wife in 1840, according to the census, there is no mention of her in the Lincoln Co., TN records. Washington Alexander and D.A. Gilbert were the administrators of John Gilbert's estate. No will has been found.

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Deed Bk. A, P. 84. 1/28/1785 - 10/17/1785. **James Gibson** of Roan Co., NC to Alexr. Harper, pl., 100 A on N. Fk. Durbins Cr of Enoree R. Wit: **Jacob Roberts.**

Deed Bk. A, P. 86. 1/28&29/1785-10/18/1785. Same to **Jacob Roberts** pl., 100 A on N Fk. of Durbins Cr of Enoree R. b. on Alexr. Harper and Ezekiel Harper. Wit: Alexr. Harper.

Deed Bk. A, P. 89. 1/28&29-10/18/1785. Same to Same, 100 A on Main Fk. Durbins Cr. b. on **Mordica Moor** and Jas. Holcomb. Wit: Same.

Deed Bk. A, P. 91. 1/26&27/1785-10/19/1785. Same to Same, 50 A on N. Fk. Durbins Cr. b. by **James Moor.** Wit: Same.

Deed Bk. C, P. 137. 3/5/1790-3/17/1790. David Childers, pl., to **Jacob Roberts, minister**, for 200 A on s. side Enoree R. Wit: Hudson Berry, Alexr. Harper.

Deed Bk. C, P. 138. 3/5/1790-3/17/1790. Same to Same, 100 A adj. above.

Will Bk. A-1, P. 44. Written 7//13/1791. Will of **Thomas Garner.** Bequeaths to dau. **Molley Roberts** five shillings. No wife named. **(Note: Molley is a nickname for Mary. This could be Jacob Roberts' wife)**

Deed Bk. D, P. 165. 10/31/1791-5/17/1792. **Jacob Roberts**, pl., to Wm. Wood, 100 A on Enoree R. orig grant to David Childers, conv. 3/5/1790, b. on Wm. Humphries. Wit: Edward Swanson, John Wood.

Deed Bk. D, P. 166. 10/31/1791-5/17/1792. **Jacob Roberts**, pl., to Wm. Wood, 25 A part of 200 A. grant to John Widowman 1775. Wit: Same.

Deed Bk. D, P. 272. 10/2/1792-10/8/1792. **Jacob Roberts and wife Mary** to Wm. Taylor. 50 A convey to Jacob Roberts by Abner Bishop. On Warriors Cr., Wit: Travis Morris (Morse), Jas. Templeton.

Will Bk. A-1, P. 104. Will of Rich's X Holcomb, 6/1/1794. Leg. wife Sarah, Susannah Mays. Ex; **Jacob Robards.**

Will Bk. A-1, P. 303. Part of saile of estate of John Kirk decd, 6/29/1801. **John Roberts** one of purchasers.

Will Bk. C-1, P. 217. 4/15/1806. **Jacob Roberts** decd. Will probated by Dan'l Right & Ezekiel Griffith **(Ed. Note: Dan'l Wright was in Madison Co., Miss. Terr. by 1816)**

Will Bk. C-1, P. 217. 5/15/1806. Will of **Jacob Roberts**. Leg: wife Marey Roberts; daus Ellender Brown, Elisebeth Meadows, Sarah Gilbert, and son John Roberts and Morah Roberts, Isaac Roberts, Jacob Roberts, Thomas Roberts, Claresey Roberts, and Milidey Gilbert and Lusendey Gilbert children of decd dau Cassy Gilbert. Executors: wife Marey and friend John Middows. Signed 3 Jan 1804. Wit: David Wright, John Roberts, Ezekel (--) Griffey. Proven April 15, 1806. Bundle 63, Package 5.

Will Bk. D-1, P. 40. 1811. David Bradley decd. Purchasers: Among others - John Meadors, John Pugh, **Jacob Roberts**, Thos. Austin, J.D. Mitcherson, Thos. Burchfield, **John Roberts**.

(Editor's Note: The following deeds were all executed many years before they were recorded. It appears that they were recorded after the death of Jacob Roberts, probably in order to probate the estate.)

Deed Bk. H, P. 175. 1/26/1785-11/27/1806. **James Gibson** of Roan Co., NC to **Jacob Roberts**, pl., 50 A on N Fk. Durbins Cr., b. on **James Moore**. Wit: Alexr. Harper, Joseph X Barton.

Deed Bk. H., P. 175. 1/28/85-11/27/1806. Same to Same, 100 A adj. above on N Fk. Durbins Cr., b. on Alexr. Harper and Ezekiel Griffith. Wit: Same.

Deed Bk. H, P. 176. 11/1/1793-11/27/1806. **Abraham Moore**, pl., to **Jacob Roberts**, pl., 75 A. Wit: Thos. X McGregor, John Meador.

Deed Bk. H, P. 177. 5/27/1797-11/27/1806. Thomas McGregor, Pendleton Co. to **Jacob Roberts**. 107 A on N. Fk. Durbins Cr.

Deed Bk. H, P. 178. 1/7/1805-11/27/1806. **John Walker X Moore**, Pendleton Dist. to **Jacob Roberts**, 2 A on N. Fk. Durbins Cr., Wit: **John Gilbert**, Archable Owings.

Deed Bk. H, P. 178. 11/10/1792-12/1/1806. Fredk. Freasure by his attorney John Hunter to **Jacob Roberts**, 136 A on Raborns Cr., Wit: Rodger Brown, John Cromton.

Deed Bk. H, P. 217. 3/28/1800-4/20/1807. **Jacob Roberts** to **John Gilbert. (Note: land sold to Jacob Roberts by James Gibson)**

Deed Bk. J, P. 153. 10/24/1809-6/4/1810. Legatees of **Jacob Roberts** decd: Frances Brown of Rutherford Co., NC, John Meadows, **John Gilbert**, **John Roberts**, Josiah Dean, Isaac Roberts, Jacob Roberts, Thomas Roberts, John D. Mitchusson to Mrs. Mary Roberts, widow, 179 a on N fk. Durbins Cr.

Deed Bk. K, P. 42. 1/11/1814-1/12/1814. Leonard Miller to Mary Hughes; Deed of Gift, 200 A. on Durnins Cr. b. on Jerry Gilbert, John Meador, **John Roberts**, James Kilgore heirs.

Will Bk. D-1, P. 355. 12/25/1817. **Jacob Roberts** decd. Return of est: each legatee's part, debts due from Issac & **John Roberts**. To Mrs. Marey Roberts the widow the old plantation, no other part. Pd. Walter Austin husband of Matilda Gilbert; Jno Akin hus of Lucinda Gilbert **(Note: Matilda and Lucinda children of deceased daughter Cassey Roberts Gilbert)**; Isaac Roberts his share; Josiah Deen hus of Polley, Jno D. Mitcheson hus of Clarifsey; Thos Roberts his sh; Jacob R. his share; **John Roberts** his share; Fielder Brown ad. of Ellender Brown decd; pd John Gilbert hus of Sarah; pd Marey R. widow of Jacob R. her sh; retained my own as hus of Eliz. Each sh $555.39. Ex: John Meador.

Will Bk. D-1, P. 436. 1818. John Spurgen dec'd. Sale Bill. **John Roberts** one of purchasers.

Deed Bk. K, P. 202. 1/4/1818-2/16/1818. Edmond Roberts received of Jacob Niswanger exor of James Roberts decd., my legacy left me by my bro. sd. James Roberts decd. Wit: James Crocker Jr., **John Roberts. (Note: This may be another Roberts family unless James Roberts decd was related to Jacob Roberts)**

COMMENTS

Jacob Roberts of Laurens Co., SC (said to be a Baptist minister) certainly had a very close relationship with the families of John Gilbert, husband of his daughter Sarah, and William Gilbert, thought to be the son of William Gilbert and Sarah McCandless. There are many court transactions involving members of these families from 1785 until 1820, which is the time span covered in the Laurens Co. book by Sara Nash. A further study of court records past 1820 is needed to gain further information on the descendants of Jacob Roberts.

The Roberts and Gilberts lived in a closely knit group on Durbins Cr. of the Enoree River. This is in the extreme northwest corner of Laurens County. Some of the land involved in transactions was right on the line when Greenville County was formed.

Since Jacob Roberts is said to have been a Baptist Minister, a search of church records for this area should be made. Baptist records for South Carolina are deposited at Furmin University in South Carolina.

Jacob Roberts named his wife Mary in his will. A clue to her identity can be found in the will of Thomas Garner, written in 1791. In it, he names Molley Roberts as one of his daughters. Molley is a nickname for Mary. Another of my grandmothers was Mary D. Hynum and she was known all her life as Molly. When

Thomas Garner wrote his will, he did not name a wife. There aren't many records in the Laurens County deeds involving Thomas Garner and none of them mentions a wife. There is no final return for the estate in Nash's book. A further search of Laurens County probate records should be made.

It is still unclear to me if Jacob Roberts' son John Roberts is the same man who married Sarah Smith. This John Roberts appears to still be in Laurens Co., SC as late as 1818. We need to know when the John Roberts who married Sarah Smith moved to Bedford Co., TN.

The final return of Jacob Roberts' estate in 1817 gives us most of the names of the husbands of Jacob's daughters. It is still not clear which Gilbert man his daughter Cassy married. By 1817, her children Matilda and Lucinda was married; Matilda to Walter Austin and Lucinda to John Akin. In a will for a William Gilbert, in Laurens Co., SC, recorded 21 Mar 1843, among the legatees are Matilda Austin and Lucinda Akins. There is no wife named. It appears that this William could have been the husband of Cassy Roberts. It is not clear who this William belongs to, but it is evident that he is part of the rest of the Gilbert family who is found in Laurens Co. I feel that he is William Gilbert Junr., son of William Gilbert Senr. (son of William Gilbert and Sarah McCandless).

FAMILY GROUP No. _____ Husband's Full Name Rev. Ambrose Bourland Gilbert

This Information Obtained From:

(1) 1860 Tishomingo Co. MS Census

(2) MS Mortality Schedule

(3) Lincoln Co. TN Official marriage Records by Marsh

(6) Lin. Co. MS Marriage Bonds + Minutes Returns 1842-1861

(7) Chronicles and Genealogies Vol. 1 From the Pioneers, Heirs of Pioneers, Tishomingo County, Miss. By Eunice Tisdale Baker

Husband's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth	1800-1810				
Chr'nd					
Mar.	20 Jul 1826	Lincoln		TN	(3)
Death	17 Aug 1849	Tishomingo		MS	(2)
Burial					

Places of Residence: Cal. Coway Co. KY, Lauderdale Co. AL, Lincoln Co. TN, Tishom. Co. MS

Occupation: Minister — Church Affiliation: Baptist — Military Rec.

Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.: (2) Mary Hunter, 21 Mar. 1847 Lauderdale AL

His Father — Mother's Maiden Name

Wife's Full Maiden Name Sarah Wright (3)

Wife's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth	1800-1810				
Chr'nd					
Death					
Burial					

Last Church was Farmington Bapt. Church Just S. of Corinth MS

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Address

City, State

Date

Places of Residence

Occupation if other than Housewife — Church Affiliation

Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

Her Father — Mother's Maiden Name

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
✓	1 James W. Gilbert	Birth	Ca 1829	(2)		KY	(1) (4) CSA
	Full Name of Spouse: Elizabeth Bennett	Mar.	16 Oct 1856	Tishomingo		MS	(1) (6) TN
		Death					U.S. Cav.
		Burial					
✓	2 Ambrose W. Gilbert	Birth	Ca 1839			TN	(1)
✓	Full Name of Spouse: Nancy Ann	Mar.	Ca 1870				1870 Colbert Co. AL Cen.
		Death					
		Burial					
✓	3 Eliza Ann Gilbert	Birth	26 May 1827	(1)			(5)
	Full Name of Spouse: William Sayler	Mar.	7 Dec 1841	Lauderdale		AL	(5)
		Death	18 Aug 1849	Alcorn		MS	(2)
		Burial					
✓	4 Calvin Gilbert	Birth	Ca 1835			TN	1860 Cen.
	Full Name of Spouse: Sarah Wallis	Mar.	17 Aug 1854	Tishomingo		MS	(6) Co. Rec.
		Death					
		Burial					
	5 Hugh C. Gilbert	Birth	Ca 1833			TN	(1)
	Full Name of Spouse: Sarah A. Northet	Mar.	31 Oct 1854	Tishomingo		MS	(6)
		Death					
		Burial					
	6 John E. Gilbert	Birth		5 more children per 1840			
	Full Name of Spouse: Martinee R. Allen	Mar.	18 Dec 1861	Lincoln Co. TN Comp. 3 sons			(6)
		Death		2 daus. all born Tishom.			
		Burial		1830 & 1840.			
	7 Ann E. Gilbert	Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse: E. U. Bird	Mar.	24 Apr 1859				(6)
		Death		(4) Ambrose B. Gilbert - 1830 KY			
		Burial		Census Calloway Co. 1 son - under 5			
	8 Mary E. Gilbert	Birth		1 dau. under 5, 1 male 20-30,			
	Full Name of Spouse: J. W. Green	Mar.	30 Aug 1858	1 female 20-30			(6)
		Death					
		Burial					
	9 Martha K. Gilbert	Birth		(5) Mary Maud Tucker in			
	Full Name of Spouse: Amos C. Walker	Mar.	30 Dec 1858	Gilbert Hadley Vol 12			(6)
		Death		Nov 1979 p. 27			
		Burial					
✓	10 Sarah J. Gilbert	Birth		Ambrose in Lauderdale Co.			
	Full Name of Spouse: Jesse Henderson	Mar.	13 Dec 1859	AL Bible. Referred			(6)
		Death		marriage of Eliza Ann.			
		Burial					

*If married more than once, number husbands (1) (2) etc. and list in "Add. info. on children" column. Use reverse side for additional children, other notes, references or information.

11. William W. Gilbert

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Ambrose Lane in the fort.

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1827 Eliza Ann
1829 James W.
1830 Sar[illegible]
1831 Leo[illegible]
1833 Mar[illegible]
1835 Sam[illegible]
1836 Lam[illegible]
1837 [illegible]
1839 [illegible]

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Dear Melanie,

Thank you for your letter and the research that you sent. Sorry it took so long for me to answer-but I was on vacation when it came-then the company sent to work out of town-then Vanoy start building a new house while getting this on ready to sell.

I am sending copies of the guardianship papers for for the minor children of A B Gilbert (I wonder if the second wife died -she is not mentioned). They name William Taylor as guardian.

I don't believe James W Gilbert is a son of A B Gilbert and Mary Wright. They were married in July 1826-Eliza Ann was born May 1827-James shows 1827 as a birth year too. Also, wouldn't a brother be more apt to be named guardian than a brother-in-law?

I have written to the Alcorn County Courthouse for probate records between October 1849 to October 1850 on the A B Gilbert estate. Perhaps, they will shed light on that relationship-also, Hugh and Calvin.

I gave your name to Eveline GArr of Corinth, Ms. She is doing research on the Taylors and Gilberts. Hope you don't mind.

I'll let you know what I find out. Write soon.

Sincerely yours

Mary Mack Tucker

Probate Court 15th January 18

The Court met agreeable to adjournment present as yesterday.

1850

26 In the matter of the last will and testament of A B Gilbert.
Upon the reading and filing the petition of William Taylor verified and preferred this day, the son-in-law of the said A B deceased, representing that John McMichael Executor named & appointed in and of the last will & testament of the said deceased, declines or refuses to accept the office & trust of executor in the premises and praying administration with the will annexed of the estate of said testator. It is therefore ordered by the Court, that the said William Taylor thereupon the premises being considered. It is ordered & decreed that letters of administration with the will annexed be granted to the said William Taylor on the estate of the said A B Gilbert deceased, on his taking the oath prescribed by law, and entering into bond in the sum of Eight hundred dollars conditioned according to the form of the statute with John E Wheelock and James W Gilbert, as his sureties. And the said William Taylor thereupon appearing & taking in open Court and together with his said sureties signing, sealing & delivering said Bond. Said letters are accordingly granted to him and ordered to be issued and recorded according to the provisions of the statute.

It is further ordered that
be appointed appraisers to value and appraise the goods, chattels and personal estate of said testator and a warrant be issued in their behalf in the form of the statute.

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26 In the matter of a certain instrument of writing purporting to be the last will & testament of A B Gilbert, deceased.
Upon reading & filing the petition, duly verified of William Taylor for probate of a certain instrument of writing purporting and alleged to be the last will & testament of A B Gilbert, deceased, late a resident of this County & to be testamentary therewith, and on taking & reading the testimony of John W Wheelock & Peter Falvin subscribing witnesses thereto - the Court, after hearing all and singular the proofs and allegations adduced, presented, & submitted & maturely considering the same, being now satisfied that the instrument is fully & legally established as the true original last will & testament of the said A B Gilbert deceased

Probate Court March 12th 1850

203 In the matter of the settlement of the estate of Gilbert deceased.

William Taylor Administra the goods and chattles, rights and credits decedent, having at this term returned court the inventory of the appraisers app to value and appraise the goods, ~~and~~ and personal estate of said deceased and the Court upon examination being satisfied that the said appraisers in all things proceeded in strict comp to the law and that the said appraise is legally made out and certified, it thereupon ordered that it be and same is hereby approved, confirmed ordered to be recorded.

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203 In the matter of the application of William Tay Administrator of the estate of A B Gilbert for sale of personal estate.

Upon Reading and filing the petition this day pre by said Adm — the Court being satis from the allegations and proofs ad ition, that it is just, proper and expe that the sale prayed be made; it upon ordered that the said William Ta Adm as aforesaid, have permission and is hereby authorized, to sell said pers estate on a credit of twelve months the day of sale, upon advertising the and place thereof in three of the m public places in this County thirty previous thereto; and that he sell said estate at public sale to the highest bidder and require the purchaser or purchasers give bond or bonds with approved security, for the purchase money and report all his proceedings this behalf at the next term of court

Amount of sales of the personal estate of A B Gilbert, dec
at his late residence in Tishomingo County on the 13th day of
by William Taylor, administrator of the goods, chattles, &c
deceased.

One Mare & colt	bought	by	Nathan Pride	$
" Sorrel Horse	"	"	James Gilbert	
" Filly	"	"	John A Wheelock	
" Rifle Gun			" "	
" Ordinary Rifle	"	"	Jefferson Douthet	
" Shot Gun	"	"	James Gilbert	
1 Dressing Table	"	"	T & Taylor	
1 Accordian	"	"	" "	
1 Lot Books	"	"	John Rowlen	
" "	"		" "	
" "	"	"	" "	
1 "	"	"	"	John A Wheelock

Total Amt. is $

The State of Mississippi } SS
Tishomingo County } Before me this day D.
Clerk of the Probate Court in and for sa
County personally appeared William Taylor and du
oath that he acted as crier at the sale of
real estate of A B Gilbert, deceased, at his
residence on the 13th day of April AD
and that the foregoing schedule contains a tr
accurate account of said sale.

Sworn to & subscribed before me } William
this 19th day of Sept. 1850 }
D D Ray, Clerk. }

Administrator's Sale.

By virtue of an order of the Probate Court of Tishomin
Mississippi, made at the March term AD 1850, there
undersigned Administrator of the estate of A B Gilb
will on Monday the 13th day of April next betw
hours prescribed by law, at the late residence
deceased in said County expose for sale
outcry to the highest bidder, on a credit u
25th day of Decr. 1850, all of the personal es
said deceased consisting of three head of h
three guns, one lot of books, one table,
one accordion, & the purchaser of said
estate will be required to give bond with good a
security payable on or before the twenty fifth
Decr. 1850. for the purchase money

Faithfully account to the Probate Court of Tishomingo County as directed by law for the management of the property and estate of the orphan under
332 his care and shall also deliver up the said property agreeably to the order of the said Court or the directions of law and shall in all respects perform the duty of guardian to the said Mary E Gilbert according to law then the above obligation shall cease and be void otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue

Sealed and delivered
in Presence of
John F Arnold
Judge

William Taylor (seal)
R. C. Richards (seal)

Know all men by presents that we William Taylor R. C. Richards are held and firmly bound to the state of Mississippi in the penalty of one hundred and fifty dollars for payment of which duly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators Jointly and severally Signed with our names and sealed with our seals the 9th day of August 1857

332 The condition of the above obligation is such that the above bounden William Taylor as guardian to Martha H Gilbert of Tishomingo County shall faithfully account to the Probate Court of Tishomingo County as directed by law for the management of the property and estate of the orphan under his care and shall also deliver up the said property agreeably to the order of the said Court or the directions of law and shall in all respects perform the duty of guardian to the said Martha H Gilbert according to law then the above obligation shall cease and be void otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue

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332 The condition of the above obligation is such that the above bounden William Taylor as guardian to Sarah I Gilbert of Tishomingo County shall faithfully account to the Probate Court of Tishomingo County as directed by law for the management of the property and estate of the orphan under his care and shall also deliver up the said property agreeably to the order of the said Court or the directions of law and shall in all respects perform the duty of guardian to the said Sarah I Gilbert according to law then the above obligation shall cease and be void otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue

Sealed and delivered
in presence of
John F Arnold
Judge

William Taylor (seal)
R C Richards (seal)

Know all men by these presents that we William Taylor & R. L. Richards are held and firmly bound to the State of Mississippi in the penalty of one hundred & fifty dollars for payment of which duly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators Jointly and severally Signed with our names and sealed with our seals the 9th day of August 1853 The condition of the above obligation is such that the above

332 bounden William Taylor as guardian to Ambrose W. Gilbert of Tishomingo county shall faithfully account to the Probate Court of Tishomingo County as directed by law for the management of the property and estate of the orphan under his care and shall also deliver up the said property agreeably to the order of the said court or the directions of law and shall in all respects perform the duty of guardian to the said Ambrose W. Gilbert according to law then the above obligation shall cease and be void otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue

Sealed and delivered
in presence of
John F. Arnold
Judge

William Taylor (seal)
R. L. Richards (seal)

Know all men by presents that we William Taylor R. L. Richards are held and firmly bound to the State of Mississippi in the penalty of one hundred and fifty dollars for payment of which duly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators Jointly and severally
Signed with our names and sealed with our seals the 9th day of August 1853
The condition of the above obligation is such that the above

332 bounden William Taylor as guardian to Wm W. Gilbert of Tishomingo county shall faithfully account to the Probate Court of Tishomingo Count as directed by law for the management of the property and estate of the orphan under his care and shall also deliver up the said property agreeably to the order of the said court or the directions of law and shall in all respects perform the duty of guardian to the said Wm W. Gilbert according to law then the above obligation shall cease and be void otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue

Sealed and delivered
in Presence of
John F. Arnold
Judge

William Taylor (seal)
R. L. Richards (seal)

Know all men by presents that we William Taylor & R. L. Richards are held and firmly bound to the State of Mississippi in the penalty of one hundred and fifty dollars for payment of which duly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators Jointly and severally. Signed with our names and sealed with our seals the 9th day of August 1853
The condition of the above obligation is such that the above bounden Wm Taylor as guardian to Mary E. Gilbert of Tishomingo county shall

Exhibit A.

A list of all the claims which have been filed before me the undersigned Clerk and Commr. of the Probate Court to sum and report claims against the Estate of
219 J. S. Brooks deceased with the sums on each respective claim and interest thereon to the 2nd Monday in Sept 1883: and specifying the claims and value thereof

No of claimants	Nature of Claim	Amt.	Int.	Total
1 Buford & Settle	A/c. Probated	33.21	3.47	36.68
2 Young & Chang	" "	25.53	2.67	28.20
3 Taylor & Martin	" "	21.30	2.23	23.53
4 Cody Fowler	" "	6.72½	.70	7.42
5 J. A. Ballard	" "	16.93	2.77	19.70

To the Honourable John F. Arnold Judge of the Probate court of the county of Tishomingo and State of Mississippi

The petition of Wm W. Gilbert Mary E. Gilbert and Martha E. Gilbert of said county shows

That they are minors more than fourteen years of age and sons and daughters and also heirs at law of A. B. Gilbert late of said county deceased. That your petitioners are informed that deceased died intestate and that he did not in his lifetime make any appointment or provision for the guardian
332 ship of your petitioner That your petitioner has been advised that it is necessary for him to make choice of guardian and that they have elected and hereby choose for their said guardian their brother-in-law Wm Taylor of said county your petitioner therefore prays that this petition may be recorded and that letters of guardianship of your petitioners person and estate may be granted to the said William Taylor according to law

And your petitioners in duty bound will ever pray &c

Signed & acknowledged in the presence of the undersigned an acting Justice of the peace in and for the county & state aforesaid this the 9th day of August A.D. 1883:

William W. Gilbert
Mary E. Gilbert
Martha E. Gilbert

William Taylor
R. L. Richards

S Hillman binds himself his heirs and assigns to make or cause to be made to the said A J Brown a good and sufficient deed to the aforesaid land and then this obligation to be null and void otherwise to be in full force and virtue in law and equity witness my hand and seal

Attest
Lewis Julian

David S Hillman (Seal)

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103 The State of Mississippi } Probate Court September term AD 1850
Lishomingo County } To the Hon C C Gillespie Judge of the Probate Court of Lishomingo County Mississippi.

The Undersigned Administrator of all and singular the goods chattels, rights and credits which were of A B Gilbert, deceased, respectfully reports that by virtue of the order of this honorable Court made at the March term AD 1850 thereof directing and authorizing him to sell the personal estate of his intestate discribed in his application in this behalf after notice made and duly given according to the statute and the directions of the said Order he did on the 16 the day of April AD 1850 at the late residence of his intestate in this County between the hours prescribed by law proceed to sell the said personal estate to the highest bidder on a credit until the 25th day of Decr. 1850 and did then and there so exposed for sale at public outcry the said personal estate, consisting of horses, guns, books &c in lots and parcels to said purchasers (having a due and proper regard to the interest of said estate) until the same was fully concluded for a full account of which said sale with the names of purchasers and the highest amounts bid for the several articles your said administrator beg leave to refer your honor to the account of sales herewith filed and marked exhibit (A) and prayed to be made a part of this report said Amt. of sales amounting in the aggregate to the sum of one hundred and sixty dollars and 87½ cents This administrator for proof of legal and proper notice of said sale begs leave listewise to refer your honour to exhibit (B) herewith filed, and also exhibit (C) herewith for proof of his having properly conducted said sale in all things both of which said exhibits are prayed to be made a part of this report. And the administrator further reports that all of the said purchasers have given bond with good and sufficient securities for the payment of the sums bid by them respectively for said personal estate. And this administrator has now fully reported his proceedings in this behalf, prays that the sale may be app[illegible] and confirmed by this honorable court.

William Taylor

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JOHN HOUSTON and MARY ROSS

Separate Report: John Houston of Orangeburg Dist., SC and Descendants

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Descendants of John Houston

Generation No. 1

1. John[1] Houston was born Abt. 1728 in County Tyrone, Ireland, and died 1808 in Newberry District, SC. He married **Mary Ross** 1751 in Ireland. She was born Bef. 1736 in prob. Ireland, and died Feb 1811 in Newberry District, SC.

Notes for John Houston:
According to "Brief Biographical Accounts of Many Members of the Houston Family," by Rev. Sam'l Rutherford Houston, D.D., 1882 : "on the voyage to this country some disaster caused them to lose nearly all the property they possessed, together with the family records. The few articles of silver and the linen they saved and preserved were marked with a "crest." Tradition says "they were true 'blue stocking' Presbyterians, ingrained in the blood." The father, as described by his daugher-in-law, David's wife, was a "high-toned gentleman, strictly honest, nice and proud" of his children."

"He had only one brother, who died a bachelor."

Abt. 1760 Emigrated from Ireland to S.Carolina (or 1763).
Resided South Carolina. Immigrated through Charleston, SC, had eight children, 5 born Ireland, 3 in America.
Presbyterian. Connected to Houstons of Augusta Co., VA according to General Sam Houston.
Owned grist mill on Indian Creek, Newberry District.
02 Feb 1811 will (Mary) proved 23 Feb 1811, Book E, page 142

memo: 5 generations

Notes for Mary Ross:
At least two descendants are named David Ross Houston. Was her father's name David Ross of Ireland?

In the name of God Amen. I Mary Houston of the Dist of Newberry and State of South Carolina widow being sick and week of body but of sane mind and memory. _____be God for the same do make and declair that my last

Will and Testement in the maner and form following. I give and desire and bequeath unto my son WILLIAM HOUSTON his Executors administrators and assigne all my part of the goods and chattler property that remained at the death of my beloved husband. This for him to have at my desceas also. I give unto my grandson JOHN HUSTON his heire and assigins son of WILLIAM HUSTON my third part of the land that remained at the death of my beloved husband John Huston. My grand son to have it at my discear and I do here by nominate constitute and appoint my son WILLIAM HUSTON sole Excrats of this my Last Will and Testament in witness where I here unto let my hand and seal this 2nd day of Febuary in the year of our Lord 1811 Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence of John Loland, John X his mark Morison , THOS HUSTON

Her
Mary X Huston
Mark

Children of John Houston and Mary Ross are:

2 i. John[2] Houston, Jr., born Abt. 1751 in Ireland.

Notes for John Houston, Jr.:
According to one account, he was the first-born and never married. "By right of primogeniture, he was entitled to an estate valued at $50,000; but it was never obtained, in consequence of neglect or unskillful management. The family records were in his possession when they left Ireland. Where he made his home is not now (1877) known." Biographical Skectches, Etc. of the Houston Family, p. 287. by Rutherford 1882.

A John Houston is often called "Jr." and has a Revolutionary war record, was married, and left numerous descendants. Some descendants of that line believe he is this man.

+ 3 ii. Margaret Houston, born Aft. 1752 in Ireland.
4 iii. Mary Houston, born Aft. 1752 in Ireland. She married John Hopper.

Notes for Mary Houston:
She may have married William Turner, and had a son Andrew Turner b 25 Jul 1794.

+ 5 iv. James Houston, born Abt. 1755 in Tyrone Co., Ireland; died 07 Sep 1837 in Morgan Co., GA.
6 v. Samuel Houston, born Abt. 1759 in Ireland; died Abt. 1789. He married Lydia or Mary Reagan; born 1768 in "of Rowan Co., NC"; died 1849.

Notes for Lydia or Mary Reagan:
It is not certain that this is a Reagan / Ragan spouse to Samuel Houston.

+ 7 vi. Ross Houston, born Abt. 1764 in SC; died Bef. 26 Jan 1850 in Lauderdale Co., AL.
+ 8 vii. William Houston, born Abt. 1768 in Newberry Dist., SC.
+ 9 viii. David Ross Houston, born Abt. 1774 in Charleston District, SC; died 24 Sep 1836 in Lauderdale Co., AL.

Generation No. 2

3. Margaret[2] Houston (John[1]) was born Aft. 1752 in Ireland. She married **James McCracken**. He was born 1750, and died 1802 in Mecklenburg Co., NC.

Notes for James McCracken:
One James McCracken is listed in the DAR records:

James McCracken (1750-1802) served as private in Colonel Polk's regiment, General Sumter's brigade, North Carolina Line. He died in Mecklenburg County, N. C.

His wife is not named; his son James McCracken, Jr. married Elizabeth Davidson

James Jr.'s daughter Margaret McCracken married Azariah Alexander.

Child of Margaret Houston and James McCracken is:

+ 10 i. James[3] McCracken, Jr..

5. James[2] Houston (John[1]) was born Abt. 1755 in Tyrone Co., Ireland, and died 07 Sep 1837 in Morgan Co., GA. He married **Mary Hughey**. She was born Aft. 1764 in Rowan Co., NC, and died 11 Oct 1828 in Morgan Co., GA.

Notes for James Houston:
Thanks to: KPmeow@aol.com (Percy Smith, Jr.) and pcsmith@hom.net (Percy Smith)

"James Hewston, Sr. left Newberry County, South Carolina in 1798 to move to Greene County, Georgia. There are three reasons why we know he left South Carolina around 1798. First, he sold his land in Newberry County to James Wright August 7, 1798. Next , during the late 1700s and early 1800s county roads are maintained byS teams of land owners who live within 10 miles of a road. The country court would choose prominent citizens in the area to supervise or oversee the maintenance of the road. The county court is similar to todays county commissioners. James Hewston is chosen with Hugh Boyd to oversee a road that passes from Newberry to Kings Creek to Enoree River to the Tyger river. They must of made a good team because they are repeatedly chosen from the October term of 1795 till July term of 1798. Boyd is again chosen in 1798 but someone replaces James Hewston. Finally, James Hewston does not appear on the 1800 census of Newberry County or of South Carolina. David, Samuel and John Jamess brothers however do appear on the 1800 Newberry census.
"The Georgia Tax Digest for Greene County in the year 1801 lists a James Hughston on page 42. From land records in Greene County, we know that he settled in an area of the county along Fishing Creek called Greshamville. No record of its incorporation as a town or village can be found. It derived its name from the many Greshams who settled in the area. Many Gresham went held important posts in Greene Countys government. The Postmasters office was held by two generations of Greshams. Coincidental they were named Young Gresham. Also Young Gresham, Sr. is mentioned as being a Physician. One can find Greshamville marked on some current maps.
"By 1805 Jamess brothers have joined him in Georgia. On the 1805 Tax Digest for Georgia, Samuel and David have joined James in Greene County. John and his son Alexander are in nearby Clarke County. Nephews John Jr. and Benjamin Hughson have joined the family in Greene county by 1810. In 1806, James Hewston buys over 200 acres across the Oconee River in the new Morgan County. In the deed to his new land, James lists his children as the future beneficiaries of the purchase. This land is on the Cherokee Indian frontier having just been ceded to the settlers. The new Indian border was within a couple of miles of Hewstons land. As late as 1813 a massacre of settlers by Indians occurred within a few miles of the Hewston farm. There were several deaths along with the kidnapping of two females. Living this close to danger it was important to have family nearby in times of need. In 1817 John Y. Hughston, James Hewstons oldest son has bought his own farm and has settled within a couple of miles of his father.
"By the 1820s, James brother John has moved his family to nearby Jasper (then called Irwin) County. In the 1826 Georgia Land Lottery, John won large tracks of land in Fayette, Troup and Coweta County. He moves his family of grown sons John Jr., Hugh, Samuel, and Oliver to the area to manage his farms. This is a fine example of the Hewstons clannish nature.
"A similar situation happened with Jamess family. In the 1826 Georgia Land Lottery, James Jr., David Ross, Young Gresham and James Sr. enter the lottery together. James Jr. is the only winner. He remains in Morgan County and sells his land in Troup County. James Sr's son-in-laws John Hargrove, Julius Skinner and Posey Johnston also won land in previous lotteries but they remain in Morgan County till after the death of their father-in-law, James in 1837.

"From the will of James Hewston we know his children were: Polly, David, Prudy, Peggy, Nicy, Luicinda, James, John and Young Gresham. Mary Polly Houston marries Isaac Culberson. David Ross Huston marries Ann F. A. Ellington and Mary O Kelly. Prudence Prudy Hewston marries Posey Johnson. Margaret Peggy Hewston marries Benjamin Auberry. Eunice Nicy Houston marries John R. Hargroves. Lucinda Houston marries Julius Skinner. Young Gresham Houston marries Harriet Amend Haynes. It is unclear who James Hewston, Jr. and John Y. Houston marry.

"Listed in the will of John Hewston, father of our James Hewston we find the names of his brothers and sisters. John, David, Ross, William and Samuel are his brothers. His sisters are listed as Mary Hopper (Harper) wife of John Hopper and Elizabeth (Peggy) McCrackin wife of James McCrackin Jr. John Hewston died in 1808. Most of the clan has moved to Georgia except for Mary Hewston the widow, Mary Hoppers, Peggy McCrackins, Rosss and Williams families. A rift develops in the administration of the
will. By 23 February 1811 a full blown civil case has arisen. John and James are fighting with Ross and William over the dispersion of the proceeds of the estate. The interesting point is that the Georgia part of the family has aligned itself against the South Carolina family.

"When William leaves South Carolina to move west in the late 1820s he skips Georgia and goes straight to Alabama. Evidently the animosity ran deep. Before William Hewston leaves South Carolina, he serves a stint as Postmaster of a station called Houstons Store in 1827. The store is left to be administered by a nephew Andrew Turner when William leaves the state. Andrews mother is Mary Hewston which is not the aunt married to John Hopper but another aunt. The name of the station changes to McMorries Store and later to Popular Grove before being discontinued after the Civil War.

"James and Samuel Hewston must have been pig farmers before they left South Carolina. They are in court in the 1790s charging someone with rustling pigs. After a year at trial the court rules it was only a case of mistakenly branding the wrong pigs. A cash settlement was made. James stayed busy because he was involved in owning a tavern with the Goodman family. Something ran a foul because James winds up suing the Goodmans for a cash settlement. There was a criminal case pending against James right before he left for Georgia that was eventually dismissed.

"Religion must have been very important to the Hewston Family. The closest Presbyterian church was in Newberry eight to ten miles away. The Reverend Robert McClintock, a local circuit rider, had been preaching in the area before the war, but he must flee South Carolina when the Revolutionary War starts. He was stuck in Ireland till after the war. After The Revolution War, James Hewstons father wants a church nearby. He donates one acre of land to the Reverend McClintock to build a church and cemetery. The church was named Guilders Creek Presbyterian Church. It was also known as Kings Creek and Indian Creek Presbyterian. The church had a strong following with some of the family being buried there. Ross A. Houston preaches there on occasion before becoming a circuit rider. He serves as a circuit rider in Georgia, South Carolina and retires to preach in Alabama. His name appears on on many marriage certificates, especially in Greene County, Georgia.

"Moses Waddell is a Presbyterian minister from Willington South Carolina. He preaches on a circuit which takes him to Newberry South Carolina. He later preaches in Greene County, Georgia. The Goshen Presbyterian Church is very close to Greshamville where he occasionally preaches. He soon begins preaching in Greensboro, Georgia. He becomes instrumental in starting a college in Greensboro. Later, he is chosen to be The University of Georgias first president at Athens in Clarke County.

"This is the same time that Young Houston should be appearing on the tax digest in Morgan County. It is unclear exactly when Young was born but he appears on the deed in 1806, which means he should be 18 years old by 1824. Georgia Law said that all males 18 or older should appear on the county's tax digest. There is a Houston studying at the University at the time but it is unclear if he is related . Could Young Houston have gone to college. He does hold the position of plantation overseer in later life. His first three sons, William H., James D., and John Scott could read and write according to the census reports. James Decatur lists his occupation as a teacher in 1860 census. Living with a wealthy landlord in town, William H. Houston and his cousin William Haynes lists their occupations as clerks in 1860 census. Could he had been a law clerk studying law? John Scott Houston is listed as a plantation overseer for his grandmother Elizabeth Haynes and uncle Malcolm Haynes.

"The pioneers on the frontier of South Carolina took politics very seriously in 1776. Living on the Indian frontier protection from the Indians was very important as well as protection from the Spanish in Florida. Many of the cash crops grown in South Carolina were sold in Great Britain. The issue of taxation without representation was at the heart of a major uprising that had occurred when The Stamp Act was implemented in nearby Savannah. The Hewstons were of Scot-Irish descent arriving from County Tyronne Ireland after 1760. Immigrants were required by British law to take an oath of allegiance to Britain before land grants were given. John Hewston had received a land grant in 1771. Perhaps this is why his son John served in the Continental Army in his fathers place. John served several tours enlisting in 1776 and serving till 1782 as a private. He applies for a pension in Coweta County, Georgia in 1835. James Hewston and his other brothers served in the South Carolina Militia. The militia members would work their vocations till a need to fight arose. The 96 District of South Carolina which included Newberry

County was the scene of many skirmishes between Whigs and Tories. The politics of Newberry County were dividing families down the middle between Whigs and Tories. The Turner family, which Mary Hewston becomes part of by marriage, has brothers-in-law fighting as Tories and Whigs. One of the brothers is killed while fighting as a Tory, forcing another Tory brother and his family to move to Florida after the war. On a visit back to South Carolina an assassin wounds him. He is smuggled back to Florida in a coffin playing dead.

"(It should be noted that the Houston name had two distinct pronunciations during this time. An early Governor of Georgia James Houstoun pronounced his name HOUSE ton. One finds several spellings of our ancestors named HUGH ston such as: Hewston, Huston, Hueston Huson Hughston or Heuston. It seems that the HOUSE-ton pronunciation was more frequently connected to English nobility or very affluent British families. The rise in Sam Houston's popularity after the war of Texas Independence, probably did the most to standardize the pronunciation.)"

Notes for Mary Hughey:
Is Mary Hughey the sister of James Hughey of Rowan Co., who was born c 1777?

James and Joseph Hughey are enumerated in the 1820 Morgan Co GA census, Leonard's Militia District, which is where the Awbrey and Johnston families were lurking.

Children of James Houston and Mary Hughey are:

+ 11 i. Eunice 'Nicey'[3] Houston, born Abt. 1809.
+ 12 ii. Mary 'Polly' Houston, born 19 Nov 1787; died 28 Aug 1855 in Coweta Co., GA.
+ 13 iii. Margaret 'Peggy' Houston, born 25 Jun 1798 in Greene Co., GA.
+ 14 iv. Prudence Houston, born 22 Dec 1795 in GA; died 18 Jan 1871 in Heard Co., GA.
+ 15 v. Young Gresham Houston, born Bet. 1806 - 1810 in Greene Co., GA; died Aft. 1869 in Limestone Co., TX.
16 vi. James Houston, Jr..
+ 17 vii. David Ross Huston, born Abt. 1805; died Abt. 1849.
+ 18 viii. John Y. Houston, born Bet. 1775 - 1778; died Aug 1849 in Marion Co., AL.
19 ix. Lucinda Houston. She married Julius Skinner.

7. Ross[2] Houston (John[1]) was born Abt. 1764 in SC, and died Bef. 26 Jan 1850 in Lauderdale Co., AL. He married **Mary Ann McCracken** Abt. 1813 in Newberry Dist., SC. She was born 1785 in SC, and died Aft. 26 Jan 1850.

Children of Ross Houston and Mary McCracken are:

+ 20 i. James Monroe[3] Houston, born 10 Mar 1814 in Newberry Co., SC; died 1857 in Lee Co., AR.
21 ii. Amy Houston.
22 iii. Jane Houston. She married Green I. Inman 24 Jan 1833 in Madison Co., AL.
23 iv. David Houston, born Bet. 1820 - 1825. He married Nancy Bromley 31 Jan 1843 in Waterloo, Lauderdale, AL.
+ 24 v. Rebecca Ann Houston, born Abt. 1818 in TN; died 20 Oct 1881 in Lorado, Greene, AR.
25 vi. William Ross Houston, born Abt. 1826 in Madison Co., AL. He married Mary Irvine; born 1828 in AL; died 28 Mar 1906 in Florence, AL.
26 vii. Mary Houston, born Abt. 1828 in Madison Co., AL.
27 viii. Elizabeth Houston, born Abt. 1833 in AL.
28 ix. John Wilson Houston, born Abt. 1834 in AL.

8. William[2] Houston (John[1]) was born Abt. 1768 in Newberry Dist., SC. He married **Mary 'Polly' Smith** Bef. 1820.

Children of William Houston and Mary Smith are:

+ 29 i. James E.[3] Houston, born 23 Jun 1820 in SC; died 01 Jan 1883 in Brunswick, Glynn, GA.
30 ii. Nancy Houston.
31 iii. David Houston, born 16 Oct 1825; died 16 Feb 1888. He married Sarah Ann Wilson 13 Oct 1867 in Lauderdale Co., AL; born 10 Jul 1839; died 21 Dec 1897.
+ 32 iv. Mary W. Houston, born Abt. 1826 in SC.

+ 33 v. Frances Laura Houston, born Abt. 1832.
34 vi. Russel Houston, born Abt. 1834 in AL.

9. David Ross[2] Houston (John[1]) was born Abt. 1774 in Charleston District, SC, and died 24 Sep 1836 in Lauderdale Co., AL. He married **Hannah Pugh Reagan** Bef. 1796 in Newberry Dist., SC, daughter of Reason Reagan and Hannah Pugh. She was born Abt. 1776 in SC, and died 01 Dec 1847 in Lauderdale Co., AL.

Notes for David Ross Houston:
resided Williamson CO., TN
Sarah Houston is sister of Gov. George Smith Houston of AL
ref: The Governors of Alabama
a planter, resided Greene Co., GA

"David and Hannah (Reagan) Houston, natives of Ireland, came to Lauderdale County in 1813 and settled on their plantation about 13 miles west of Florence on the Waterloo Road, near Gravelly Springs, and adjoining the old Natchez Trace. They had lived in Tennessee until they moved here with their thirteen children. Their home was a large, three-story brick structure built along the typical ante-bellum lines. A huge water tank, located on the roof, caught rain water and furnished the household with running water. This home burned sometime before 1900.
"The Houston cemetery, some signs of the old brick foundations of the mansion, and remains of the once elegant garden house are the only signs today of the old home, the boyhood home of the onetime Governor and U.S. Senator, George S. Houston, one of the thirteen children.
"The Houston land supposedly exended from Gravelly Springs to the Tennessee River where they had a boat landing."
Lauderdale Co., AL by Garrett.

Notes for Hannah Pugh Reagan:
Welsh, Quaker. " ... a connection of the Pugh family of Ohio." May have been born in Frederick Co., VA. "She was a remarkable woman for her day and the advantages which she enjoyed."

Children of David Houston and Hannah Reagan are:

+ 35 i. Ross[3] Houston, born 06 Jun 1805; died 22 Dec 1863 in TX.
36 ii. Jane Houston, born Abt. 1796; died Abt. 1873. She married Gen. George Philip Irons 14 Aug 1838 in Lauderdale Co., AL; born Abt. 1791 in NC.
+ 37 iii. Sarah Houston, born Oct 1798 in Williamson Co., TN; died 17 Oct 1879.
+ 38 iv. Dr. John Pugh Houston, born 25 Jan 1803 in Greene Co., GA; died 21 Jul 1871 in Iuka, MS.
39 v. Rebecca Floras Mary Houston, born Abt. 1810 in SC; died Abt. 1864 in Near Wildwood, AL. She married Henry Williams 21 Dec 1841 in Lauderdale Co., AL; born Abt. 1810; died 1850.
+ 40 vi. Judge Russell Houston, born 10 Jan 1810 in Williamson Co., TN; died 01 Oct 1895 in Louisville, KY.
+ 41 vii. George Smith Houston, born 17 Jan 1811 in Williamson Co., TN; died 31 Dec 1879 in Athens, Limestone, AL.
+ 42 viii. Dr. Gray Jones Houston, born 1812 in TN; died Aft. 1877 in San Antonio, Bexar, TX.
43 ix. David Houston, born 1815; died 1815 in young.
44 x. Mary Alsis Charlotte Houston, born 04 Apr 1815; died 20 May 1895 in "Wildwood", near Florence, Gravelly Spr., AL. She married Ambrose Bourland Gilbert 21 Mar 1847 in Lauderdale Co., AL; born in NC; died 19 Aug 1849 in Cherokee, AL.

Notes for Mary Alsis Charlotte Houston:
An old record say that she was "posses with a high order of intellectual endowments, and afforded educational and social advantages suitable thereto, she became noted in her early womanhood for excellence in the attainments of a liberal education in general literature, arts and history."

The same record says, "During the life of her distinguished brother, Hon. George S. Houston, as a member of Congress, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, Governor of Alabama, later U.S. Senator, she spent much time in our state and national capitals. She thus occupied prominent places in the social life of those great centers, becoming meanwhile an ardent and apt student of political history, state and national."

Notes for Ambrose Bourland Gilbert:

Ambrose Barker Gilbert. His middle name, and his mother's surname, uncertain.

45 xi. Lydia Louisa Vinas Houston, born Abt. 1817 in TN; died 1864 in "Wildwood", near Florence, AL.
+ 46 xii. Ann Hannah Houston, born 1819 in TN; died 1868.

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10. James[3] McCracken, Jr. (Margaret[2] Houston, John[1]) He married **Elizabeth Davidson**.

Child of James McCracken and Elizabeth Davidson is:

47 i. Margaret[4] McCracken. She married Azariah Alexander.

11. Eunice 'Nicey'[3] Houston (James[2] , John[1]) was born Abt. 1809. She married **John R. Hargrove**. He was born Abt. 1802 in NC.

Child of Eunice Houston and John Hargrove is:

+ 48 i. Julia[4] Hargrove.

12. Mary 'Polly'[3] Houston (James[2] , John[1]) was born 19 Nov 1787, and died 28 Aug 1855 in Coweta Co., GA. She married **Isaac Culbertson**. He was born 30 Oct 1784, and died 24 Dec 1829 in Bur. Troup Co., GA.

Children of Mary Houston and Isaac Culbertson are:

49 i. Nancy Emily[4] Culbertson. She married D. Palmer 1837 in Troup Co., GA.
+ 50 ii. Augustus B. Culbertson.
+ 51 iii. Elizabeth Ann Culbertson, born 10 Dec 1808; died 18 Nov 1878.
+ 52 iv. David H. Culbertson, born 1810; died 1866.
+ 53 v. Mary Elizabeth Culbertson, born 05 Dec 1820; died 23 Feb 1913.

13. Margaret 'Peggy'[3] Houston (James[2] , John[1]) was born 25 Jun 1798 in Greene Co., GA. She married **Benjamin Awbrey** 23 Dec 1817 in Morgan Co., GA. He was born 05 Feb 1792 in SC, and died 06 Sep 1863 in Cherokee Co., SC.

Children of Margaret Houston and Benjamin Awbrey are:

54 i. Joshua Anderson[4] Awbrey, born 06 Nov 1818 in GA.
55 ii. William M. Awbrey, born 09 Apr 1820 in GA.
56 iii. Mahala Antoinette Awbrey, born 11 Nov 1821. She married (1) Martin J. Hale. She married (2) John Jackson Mackey Aug 1839.
57 iv. Phillip A. Awbrey, born 23 Apr 1823 in GA.
58 v. Thomas H. Awbrey, born 23 Nov 1824 in GA; died Bef. 1836.
59 vi. Mary A. Awbrey, born 15 Sep 1826; died 12 Mar 1905. She married Alexander Hamilton Mackey 19 Jun 1845.
60 vii. James Y. Awbrey, born 23 Mar 1829 in GA.
61 viii. Rebecca Emmeline Awbrey, born 19 Jan 1831; died Aft. 1912. She married (1) [Unknown] Adams. She married (2) Tandy F. Ward.
62 ix. R. Awbrey, born 25 Nov 1832 in GA; died 23 Oct 1861. He married [Unknown] Freeman.
+ 63 x. Augustus C. Awbrey, born 04 Sep 1834 in Walton Co., GA; died 28 Nov 1880 in Gadsden, AL.
64 xi. Thomas E. Awbrey, born 12 Dec 1836.
65 xii. Alexander Lafayette Awbrey, born 19 Jul 1841 in Cherokee Co., AL; died 11 Jan 1911 in Leesburg, AL. He married (1) Elizabeth Sophronia Lowe. He married (2) Ellen E. Thornton.

14. Prudence[3] Houston (James[2] , John[1]) was born 22 Dec 1795 in GA, and died 18 Jan 1871 in Heard Co., GA. She married **Posey Johnston** 01 Dec 1818 in Morgan Co., GA, son of Robert Johnston and Elizabeth Awbrey. He

GIL, JAMES	SHEL	229 S E DIST
GIFFET, ROBERT	LOGA	081 RUSSELLV
GIFFORD, ELIJAH	GARR	242 NO TWP L
GIFFORD, ELISHA	MASO	230 WESTERN
GIFFORD, HIRAM	MASC	246 WESTERN
GIFFORD, JONATHAN	MASO	239 WESTERN
GIFFORD, JOSHUA	MASO	238 WESTERN
GIFFORD, THOMAS J.	GRAV	297 NO TWP L
GIFT, ISAAC	HEND	255 HENDERSO
GIL, ROBERT	GREE	081 GREENUPS
GILASPIE, WILLIAM	LEWI	308 NO TWP L
GILBERT, AGUILLA	BREC	047 NO TWP L
GILBERT, AMBROSE B.	CALL	202 NO TWP L
GILBERT, ANN	LINC	344 NO TWP L
GILBERT, ANTHONY H.	LOGA	064 RUSSELLV
GILBERT, AQUILLAR	ESTI	250 NO TWP L
GILBERT, BARNEY	BATH	193 NO TWP L
GILBERT, BENJAMIN	LOGA	064 RUSSELLV
GILBERT, ELIAS	LEWI	307 NO TWP L
GILBERT, ELIZABETH	MADI	119 NO TWP L
GILBERT, ENOCH	WAYN	236 NO TWP L
GILBERT, FELIX	CLAY	174 NO TWP L
GILBERT, FELIX	CLAY	175 NO TWP L
GILBERT, FELIX G.	CLAY	175 NO TWP L
GILBERT, GREENSBOROUGH	LOGA	055 RUSSELLV
GILBERT, HARVY	CAMP	251 NO TWP L
GILBERT, HENRY	GARR	222 NO TWP L
GILBERT, HENRY D.	SCOT	176 NO TWP L
GILBERT, HUGH	CALL	213 NO TWP L
GILBERT, JACOB	BREC	062 NO TWP L
GILBERT, JAMES	RUSS	110 NO TWP L
GILBERT, JANE	LOGA	068 RUSSELLV
GILBERT, JOEL	CALL	200 NO TWP L
GILBERT, JOHN	CLAY	175 NO TWP L
GILBERT, JOHN	CLAY	174 NO TWP L
GILBERT, JOHN	FAYE	317 NO TWP L
GILBERT, JOHN	LEWI	307 NO TWP L
GILBERT, JOHN	LAWR	293 NO TWP L
GILBERT, JOHN W.	LINC	372 NO TWP L
GILBERT, JOSEPH	TRIG	026 CADIZ
GILBERT, JOSEPH	CAMP	229 NO TWP L
GILBERT, LASKIN	TRIG	029 CANTON
GILBERT, MARTHA	LOGA	068 RUSSELLV
GILBERT, MICHAEL	LOGA	055 RUSSELLV
GILBERT, MORDICAI	BREC	079 STEPHENS
GILBERT, MORTON	LIVI	007 SALEM
GILBERT, NATHANIEL	LEWI	307 NO TWP L
GILBERT, PRESTON	NELS	168 NO TWP L
GILBERT, SAMUE	LINC	331 NO TWP L
GILBERT, SAMUEL	SPEN	320 TAYLORSV
GILBERT, SILAS	LOGA	055 RUSSELLV
GILBERT, SUSANAH	MADI	110 NO TWP L
GILBERT, THOMAS	FLOY	084 NO TWP L
GILBERT, WALTER	CLAY	181 NO TWP L
GILBERT, WILLIAM	WASH	159 NO TWP L
GILBERT, WILLIAM	MADI	103 NO TWP L
GILBERT, WILLIAM	HARR	141 LICKING
GILBERT, WILLIAM	SPEN	320 TAYLORSV
GILBERTS, JAMES	EDMO	216 NO TWP L
GILBRAITH, SAMUEL	CAMP	229 NO TWP L
GILBREATH, JAMES	CHRI	047 NO TWP L
GILCHRIST, C. C. P.	UNIO	034 NO TWP L
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GILEBONS, BENJAMIN	SCOT	146 NO TWP L
GILELAND, MARGARET	JEFF	176 NO TWP L
GILEN, JOHN	NICH	193 CARLISLE
GILES, HARVEY	HARD	333 NO TWP L
GILES, HENRY	OWEN	320 NO TWP L
GILES, JAMES	GREE	066 CAMPBELL
GILES, JOHN	BRAC	032 BRACKEN
GILES, JOHN	WHIT	274 NO TWP L
GILES, SAMUEL	BOUR	303 NO TWP L
GILES, WILLIAM	GRAN	267 WILLIAMS
GILFRIN, JOHN	SHEL	252 NO TWP L
GILGIS, JOHN	LEWI	308 NO TWP L
GILHAM, ROBERT	CAMP	271 NO TWP L
GILINET, PETER A.	HARD	382 NO TWP L
GILKERSON, BENJAMIN	FLEM	060 EASTERN
GILKERSON, JAMES	MASO	186 MAYSVILL
GILKERSON, JOBE	LEWI	299 NO TWP L
GILKERSON, JOHN	LEWI	300 NO TWP L
GILKERSON, WILLIAM	FLEM	067 EASTERN
GILKEY, CHARLES P.	MONT	049 NO TWP L
GILKEY, ROBERT	MONT	044 NO TWP L
GILKEY, THOMAS	ADAI	023 NO TWP L
GILKEY, THOMAS S.	MONT	050 NO TWP L
GILKEY, WILLIAM	MONT	049 NO TWP L
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GILKY, CHARLES	MADI	148 NO TWP L
GILKY, JAMES	CHRI	036 NO TWP L
GILKY, JONATHAN	CHRI	022 NO TWP L
GILL, AARON	PULA	011 NO TWP L
GILL, ANGEL	TODD	362 NO TWP L
GILL, BALDWIN B.	MASO	229 WESTERN
GILL, BENJAMIN	SHEL	251 NO TWP L
GILL, BENJAMIN P.	UNIO	034 NO TWP L
GILL, CHARLES	LEWI	319 NO TWP L
GILL, CHRISTOPHER	PULA	051 NO TWP L
GILL, COLEMAN	TODD	366 NO TWP L
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GILL, ERASMUS	BOUR	332 NO TWP L
GILL, GEORGE	SHEL	227 S E DIST
GILL, HENRY	MASO	220 WESTERN
GILL, JAMES	MASC	229 WESTERN
GILL, JAMES	SHEL	224 S E DIST
GILL, JAMES	GARR	242 NO TWP L
GILL, JAMES L.	SHEL	228 S E DIST
GILL, JEDIAH	SHEL	222 S E DIST
GILL, JOHN	GARR	248 NO TWP L
GILL, JOHN	PULA	019 NO TWP L
GILL, JOHN	BRAC	023 NO TWP L
GILL, JOHN	FLEM	042 EASTERN
GILL, JOHN	WOOD	315 MORTONSV
GILL, JOHN L.	BARR	157 NO TWP L
GILL, JOHN P.	MASO	193 MAYSVILL
GILL, JOSEPH V.	GARR	248 NO TWP L
GILL, MATILDA	NICH	195 CARLISLE
GILL, NANCY	WAYN	250 NO TWP L
GILL, NED	GARR	244 NO TWP L
GILL, PETER R.	BATH	193 NO TWP L
GILL, REUBEN	BRAC	005 NO TWP L
GILL, RICHARD	ANDE	101 NO TWP L
GILL, RUTH	JEFF	102 LOUISVIL
GILL, SAMUEL C.	BATH	214 OINGSVIL
GILL, SARAH S.	LOGA	056 RUSSELLV
GILL, SOLOMON W.	WASH	119 SPRINGFI
GILL, SPENCER	BARR	157 NO TWP L
GILL, SPENCER	HART	212 NO TWP L
GILL, WILLIAM	HART	212 NO TWP L
GILL, WILLIAM	GREE	028 NO TWP L
GILL, WILLIAM	GARR	239 NO TWP L
GILL, WILLIAM	LOGA	050 RUSSELLV
GILL, WILLIAM	UNIO	040 NO TWP L
GILL, WILLIAM	SHEL	279 NO TWP L
GILL, WILLIAM	PULA	031 NO TWP L
GILLALAND, JAMES	BARR	124 NO TWP L

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GILLAM, CHARLES	LOGA	072 RUSSELLV
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GILLAM, JAMES M.	JEFF	087 LOUISVIL
GILLAM, JESSE	LAWR	288 NO TWP L
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GILLASPIE, JAMES	FAYE	319 NO TWP L
GILLASPY, JOHN	DAVI	197 HARRISS
GILLASPY, JOHN	GALL	198 NO TWP L
GILLASPY, JOHNATHAN	BATH	213 OINGSVIL
GILLBERT, BIRD	TODD	380 NO TWP L
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GILLELAND, ABLE	PULA	040 NO TWP L
GILLELAND, HARVY	PULA	040 NO TWP L
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GILLELAND, JOHN	BARR	134 NO TWP L
GILLELAND, WID.	SHEL	204 SHELBYVI
GILLELAND, WID.	SHEL	200 SHELBYVI
GILLELS, JULIUS	SCOT	158 NO TWP L
GILLEN, JOHN	SIMP	307 NO TWP L
GILLEN, RACHEL	MONT	030 NO TWP L
GILLESPIE, GEORGE E.	WOOD	303 NO TWP L
GILLESPIE, GEORGE W.	MONT	030 NO TWP L
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GILLHAM, AMOS	CHRI	032 NO TWP L
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GILLIAN, ROBERT	BRAC	038 BRACKEN
GILLIAND, CHRISTOPHER	PULA	054 NO TWP L
GILLICK, JOHN	BARR	114 NO TWP L
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GILLINE, MILTON W.	TODD	368 NO TWP L
GILLION, WILLIAM	HICK	021 NO TWP L
GILLIS, HUGH	ANDE	093 NO TWP L
GILLISBY, JOHN	BARR	157 NO TWP L
GILLISON, HARDEN	MADI	105 NO TWP L
GILLISPEE, SAMUEL P.	LOGA	056 RUSSELLV
GILLISPIE, ANGEL	FAYE	330 NO TWP L
GILLISPIE, GEORGE	MADI	094 NO TWP L
GILLISPIE, JOHN	MONT	028 NO TWP L
GILLISPIE, LEWIS	MADI	122 NO TWP L
GILLISPIE, NELSON	CLAR	102 NO TWP L
GILLISPIE, PHILLIP	MADI	116 NO TWP L
GILLISPIE, SIMON	MONT	008 NO TWP L
GILLISPIE, SIMON	MONT	027 NO TWP L
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GILLMORE, ENOCH	MORG	067 WEST LIB
GILLMORE, JAMES	MORG	072 WEST LIB
GILLMORE, JAMES	PULA	055 NO TWP L
GILLMORE, JOHN	PULA	036 NO TWP L
GILLMORE, JOSEPH	CASE	288 NO TWP L
GILLMORE, MILFORD	PULA	016 NO TWP L
GILLMORE, ROBERT	PULA	047 NO TWP L
GILLNER, BARNETT	WOOD	298 VERSAILL
GILLOCH, WILLIAM	BARR	123 NO TWP L
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GILLOCK, GREEN	BOUR	293 NO TWP L
GILLOCK, JAMES	BARR	123 NO TWP L
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GILLOCK, LAWRENCE	OWEN	309 NO TWP L
GILLOCK, MELCHIJAH	BARR	123 NO TWP L
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GILLPEN, WILL	GREE	053 NO TWP L
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GILLS, JOHN	CHRI	017 NO TWP L
GILLUM, CCHALRES	GALL	189 NO TWP L
GILLUM, DAVID	OLDH	301 NO TWP L
GILLUM, HENRY S.	LOGA	064 RUSSELLV
GILLUM, JAMES	OLDH	295 NO TWP L
GILLUM, ROBINSON	BRAC	038 BRACKEN
GILLUM, SAMUEL	BRAC	035 BRACKEN
GILLUM, TYRE B.	LOGA	065 RUSSELLV
GILLUM, WILLIAM	HARL	110 NO TWP L
GILLUM, WILLIAM T.	LOGA	063 RUSSELLV
GILMAN, DANIEL	JEFF	121 NORTH DI
GILMAN, ELIPALET	LEWI	307 NO TWP L
GILMAN, HERVEY	JESS	216 NO TWP L
GILMAN, JAMES	ADAI	003 NO TWP L
GILMAN, JOSEPH	CAMP	265 NO TWP L
GILMAN, RICHARD	WARR	077 NO TWP L
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GILMORE, ANDREW	GRAV	294 NO TWP L
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GILMORE, ANDREW SR.	WARR	076 NO TWP L
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GILMORE, FRANCES	WARR	073 NO TWP L
GILMORE, GEORGE	CHRI	040 NO TWP L
GILMORE, JAMES	CHRI	025 NO TWP L
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GILMORE, JANE	WOOD	337 MORTONSV
GILMORE, JOHN	ALLE	076 SCOTTVIL
GILMORE, JOHN	ALLE	056 NO TWP L
GILMORE, JOHN	WARR	077 NO TWP L
GILMORE, JOHN T.	CHRI	043 NO TWP L
GILMORE, JOSEPH	LOGA	060 RUSSELLV
GILMORE, JOSHUA	GREE	087 GREENUPS
GILMORE, MARY	BULL	129 NO TWP L
GILMORE, NICHOLAS	CHRI	042 NO TWP L
GILMORE, PATRICK	WARR	077 NO TWP L
GILMORE, POLLY	JEFF	162 NO TWP L
GILMORE, ROBERT	MASO	192 MAYSVILL
GILMORE, ROBERT	MONT	030 NO TWP L
GILMORE, SMITH	HARD	341 NO TWP L
GILMORE, THOMAS	OHIO	247 HARTFORD
GILMORE, THOMTON	CHRI	043 NO TWP L
GILMORE, WALDEN B.	PULA	056 SOMERSET
GILMORE, WILLIAM	LOGA	080 RUSSELLV
GILMORE, WILLIAM	MONT	011 NO TWP L
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GILMORE, JOSEPH	WARR	076 NO TWP L
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GILPIN, WILLIAM	ANDE	096 NO TWP L
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GILREATH, BENJAMIN	WHIT	286 NO TWP L

GILREATH, GIDEON	WHIT	286 NO TWP L
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GILSTRASS, BRIGHT	WAYN	218 NO TWP L
GILTEN, JAMES	SPEN	326 NO TWP L
GILTHAM, CORNELIUS	BARR	158 NO TWP L
GILTNER, JOHN	BOUR	287 NO TWP L
GILURN, SAMUEL	SIMP	299 NO TWP L
GILVIN, HUGH	MONT	024 NO TWP L
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GINEMAN, BENJAMIN	SPEN	321 NO TWP L
GINN, JAMES	GALL	193 NO TWP L
GINN, JOHN	PEND	066 NO TWP L
GINN, JOHN	WOOD	320 MORTONSV
GINN, THOMAS	BRAC	009 NO TWP L
GINN, WILLIAM	MASO	210 MAYSVILL
GINNDY, GARSAM	BULL	107 NO TWP L
GINNELL, RICHARD	SCOT	175 NO TWP L
GINNETT, MARY	MADI	121 NO TWP L
GINNINGS, D.	SHEL	211 SHELBYVI
GINNINGS, THOMAS	SHEL	211 SHELBYVI
GINTER, JOHN	BATH	189 NO TWP L
GINTRY, MAPY	OHIO	247 HARTFORD
GIPSUERS, ROBERT	WAYN	209 NO TWP L
GIPSON, FLEMMING	MERC	322 NO TWP L
GIPSON, GEORGE	WAYN	243 NO TWP L
GIPSON, JAMES	MERC	323 NO TWP L
GIPSON, JOAL	PIKE	365 NO TWP L
GIPSON, LARKIN	WAYN	209 NO TWP L
GIPSON, LEMUEL C.	SIMP	311 NO TWP L
GIPSON, MARSHALL	MONR	385 TOMPKINS
GIPSON, MARTIN	PERR	345 NO TWP L
GIPSON, MILLY	WAYN	261 NO TWP L
GIPSON, NALLY	WAYN	212 NO TWP L
GIPSON, NATHAN	PIKE	366 NO TWP L
GIPSON, PRICE	WAYN	243 NO TWP L
GIPSON, RYAL	CLAY	178 NO TWP L
GIPSON, SAMUEL	CALD	172 NO TWP L
GIPSON, STEPHEN	CLAY	180 NO TWP L
GIPSON, STEPHEN	WAYN	259 NO TWP L
GIPSON, THOMAS	WAYN	229 NO TWP L
GIPSON, THOMAS	CALL	211 NO TWP L
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GIPSON, WILLIAM	CLAY	183 NO TWP L
GIPSON, WILLIAM	WAYN	240 NO TWP L
GIPSON, WILLIAM	PIKE	366 NO TWP L
GIPSON, ZACHARIAH	PERR	345 NO TWP L
GIRDLY, JAMES	PULA	036 NO TWP L
GIRDLY, JOSEPH	PULA	013 NO TWP L
GIRDLY, THOMAS	PULA	056 SOMERSET
GIRDON, CHRISTOPHER	NELS	154 NO TWP L
GIRON, MATHWRIN	FAYE	271 LEXINGTO
GIRTIN, JMAES	UNIO	046 NO TWP L
GISONG, ELEAZER	HOPK	055 NO TWP L
GISS, JOHN	FAYE	291 NO TWP L
GISS, MOSES	EDMO	217 NO TWP L
GISSON, THOMAS	WAYN	238 NO TWP L
GIST, BAILIS	MONR	384 TOMPKINS
GIST, DAVID R.	CLAR	102 NO TWP L
GIST, ELIZABETH	NELS	132 NO TWP L
GIST, JAMES	SPEN	334 NO TWP L
GIST, JOSEPH	MONR	392 TOMPKINS
GIST, NATHAN	WAYN	258 NO TWP L
GIST, NATHANIEL	UNIO	041 NO TWP L
GIST, POLLY	MONR	401 TOMPKINS
GIST, R. P.	JEFF	104 LOUISVIL
GIST, REGIN H.	MONT	052 NO TWP L
GIST, WATSON	MONR	380 TOMPKINS
GIST, WILLIAM	FAYE	355 NO TWP L
GITHERY, JONATHAN	ADAI	023 NO TWP L
GITHINS, JOHN	GREE	085 GREENUPS
GITSTRAP, LEWIS	WAYN	232 NO TWP L
GITTERMAN, WILLIAM	SPEN	331 NO TWP L
GITTINGS, WILLIAM	UNIO	035 NO TWP L
GITTNER, FRANCIS	GALL	191 NO TWP L
GITTNER, MICHAEL	GALL	173 NO TWP L
GIVANS, ALLEN	BUTL	088 NO TWP L
GIVANS, JAMES	BUTL	089 NO TWP L
GIVANS, JAMES	NICH	196 CARLISLE
GIVEDAN, JOHN	HENR	301 NO TWP L
GIVEN, GEORGE	LIVI	023 SALEM
GIVEN, GEORGE	SHEL	210 SHELBYVI
GIVEN, JAMES	LEWI	310 NO TWP L
GIVEN, REUBEN	HICK	006 NO TWP L
GIVEN, WILLIAM	JEFF	110 LOUISVIL
GIVENS, BENJAMIN	LEWI	310 NO TWP L
GIVENS, ELIZABETH	BOUR	294 NO TWP L
GIVENS, GEORGE	LINC	332 NO TWP L
GIVENS, JAMES	LINC	338 NO TWP L
GIVENS, JAMES	HOPK	053 NO TWP L
GIVENS, JOHN	HOPK	060 NO TWP L
GIVENS, JOHN HEIRS	LINC	343 NO TWP L
GIVENS, JOHN T.	HOPK	055 NO TWP L
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GIVENS, ROBERT CAPT.	LINC	339 NO TWP L
GIVENS, SAMUEL C.	LINC	347 NO TWP L
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GIVENS, WILLIAM	OLDH	293 NO TWP L
GIVENS, WILLIAM	HOPK	054 NO TWP L
GIVINEY, ROBERT	ROCK	098 MT VERNO
GIVINS, ALEXANDER	GALL	188 NO TWP L
GIVINS, ALEXANDER	HARR	135 LICKING
GIVINS, GEORGE	DAVI	196 HARRISS
GIVINS, JOHN	HARR	145 LICKING
GIVINS, JOHN W.	NICH	195 CARLISLE
GLACKEN, ANDREW	BOON	240 NO TWP L
GLACKEN, WILLIAM	BOON	239 NO TWP L
GLADDEN, AARON	WAYN	251 NO TWP L
GLADE, FRANCIS	SHEL	263 NO TWP L
GLADISH, MARTHA	WARR	087 NO TWP L
GLADISH, RICHARD	WARR	092 NO TWP L
GLADON, AARON	WAYN	214 NO TWP L
GLAMB, THOMAS	MADI	107 NO TWP L
GLASCOCK, ACY	MASO	211 MAYSVILL
GLASCOCK, CATHARINE	NELS	174 NO TWP L
GLASCOCK, GEROGE SR.	FLEM	022 NO TWP L
GLASCOCK, GREGORY	NELS	159 NO TWP L
GLASCOCK, GREGORY	BREC	057 NO TWP L
GLASCOCK, WASHINGTON	MASO	231 WESTERN
GLASCOCK, WILLIAM	WASH	119 SPRINGFI
GLASCOCKE, ELIGAH	WASH	174 NO TWP L
GLASCOCKE, WHARTON	WASH	172 NO TWP L
GLASFORD, JOHN	MASO	180 MAYSVILL
GLASGOW, FRANCIS	NELS	172 NO TWP L
GLASGOW, NANCY	NELS	144 BARDSTOW
GLASGOW, SAMUEL	LOGA	082 RUSSELLV
GLASGOW, THOMAS	NELS	159 NO TWP L
GLASS, ALEXANDER	LIVI	003 SALEM
GLASS, ALEXANDER	CALD	143 NO TWP L
GLASS, BELFIELD	OWEN	322 NO TWP L
GLASS, BENJAMIN	OWEN	323 NO TWP L

from The Village Messenger, Fayetteville, Tennessee,
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SHERIFF SALE.
By virtue of a writ of venditioni exponas that issued from the Circuit Court of Lincoln county, at March term, 1826, and to me directed, I shall sell at the court house door in the town of Fayetteville on the sixteenth day of September next, all the right, title, claim and interest that Micajah M'ELROY, Sen. has in and to Two Hundred and Thirteen acres of Land, lying on the west side of Cane creek, where John COX and Henry DAVIS now live; bounded by land of Elbridge and Hiram BUCHANAN on the south, William M'ELROY on the east, John CRAWFORD on the north, and Mathew M'CLURE on the west; sold by virtue of said writ, to satisfy a judgment that Alexander GREER and Mathew M'CLURE recovered against said M'ELROY.
Sale within lawful hours.

A. SMITH, Dep. Shff
July 29, 1826

MARRIED,
On Thursday, 20th ult. Mr. Ambrose B. GILBERT to Miss Sarah WRIGHT, both of Lincoln.

On Thursday last, by Rev. I. CONGER, Capt. Thomas HINES, of Fairfield District, South Carolina, to Miss Mary R. MOORES, daughter of Maj. John MOORES of this county.

Same day, Mr. George L. LENARD to Miss Mary GILBERT, daughter of Rev. John GILBERT, all of this county.

GenForum

Posted By: Sue Haygood

Email: dansue@ipa.net

Subject: Re: Taylor/Bowie Family mid1800s Alcorn/Tish

Post Date: February 23, 2001 at 14:59:55

Message URL: http://genforum.genealogy.com/ms/alcorn/messages/77.html

Forum: Alcorn County, MS Genealogy Forum

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The family of Jeremy (Jerry) M. Taylor moved to Alcorn County, MS and settled in the Farmington Community, East of Corinth, following the Civil War. Jerry was born October 7, 1862 in Colbert County, Ala. He was the son of William M. Taylor and Eliza Ann Gilbert. William was born May 26, 1810 and died May 6, 1898. William's father was Jerry M. Taylor and his mother was Eliza Brooks Taylor. Jeremy and a sister cam from Germany, and settled in the United States in the 1700's. Eliza Ann Brooks was born May 27, 1827 and died October 12, 1894. She was the daughet of Ambrose B. Gilbert and Sallie Wright Gilbert. The Brooks were Irish. Jerry's father William and grandfather Jeremy fought in the Civil War for the Confederacy, enlisting in Alabama. Jerry M. Taylor and Cordellia Robinson were married June 22, 1881 in Alcorn County, MS. Cordelia Robinson was the daughter of Sallie Bowie and Sam Robinson. She was born April 22, 1867. Jerry and Cordelia raised their family in the Farmington Community. He was a farmer and carpenter. They were Baptists and were all members of the Farmington Church. Cordellia died October 15, 1939 and Jerry died October 23, 1949. They were laid to rest in the Farmington Cemetery. They were the parents of nine children: Albert, Beulah Inez (my grandmother), Arthur, Anna, Effie Arlie, Grady, Perry and Marvin. I have a little more information if you care. My mother, Martha Virginia (Vera) Pittman Wilbanks, was the daughter of Beulah Taylor and Thomas Riley Pittman. My mother passed away May 8, 2000. She was one of eight children, five of which are still living.

FRIDAY, STEPHEN	OKTIBBEHA CO.	MS	6	M	JUL	AL	WORMS	00
FRISBY, MARGARET	JEFFERSON CO.	MS	4	F	JAN	MS	FEVER	00
FULFORD, W.M.	CHICKASAW CO.	MS	41	M	AUG	NC	DYSENTERY	00
FULLER, JAMES	LAFAYETTE CO.	MS	1M	M	AUG	MS	CROUP	00
FULTZ, JUSTINE	PONTOTOC CO.	MS	10M	F	JUN	MS	DYSENTERY	00
FUQUA, ADELINE	PONTOTOC CO.	MS	25	F	JUN	AL	CHOLERA	00
FUQUA, LUCY	PONTOTOC CO.	MS	45	F	JUN	VA	CHOLERA	00
FUQUA, MARY	PONTOTOC CO.	MS	27	F	JUN	VA	DYSENTERY	00
FUQUA, MARY	PONTOTOC CO.	MS	22	F	JUN	AL	CHOLERA	00
FURGUSON, WILLIAM D.	WINSTON CO.	MS	9	M	SEP	AL	UNKNOWN	00
FURLOW, ELIJA A.	SMITH CO.	MS	11	F	NOV	MS	FEVER	00
FURLOW, ROBERT N.	SMITH CO.	MS	3	M	NOV	MS	FEVER	00
FUTCH, JOHN	HINDS CO.	MS	41	M	FEB	GA	CONSUMPTION	00
FUTCH, MARGARET	JASPER CO.	MS	48	F	SEP	SC	OBSTRUCTION	00
GADFORD, UIRHA	KEMPER CO.	MS	2	F	SEP	MS	FEVER	00
GAFFORD, W.J.	LAFAYETTE CO.	MS	2	M	JUL	MS	CROUP	00
GAGE, JOSEPHINE	WINSTON CO.	MS	2	F	JUL	MS	CHOLERA	00
GALEY, JAMES	CARROLL CO.	MS	1	F	NOV	AL	PNEUMONIA	00
GALLIGHER, WILLIAM	LOWNDES CO.	MS	16	M	JUN	MS	DROWNED	00
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GALLOWAY,MARTHA J.	ATTALA CO.	MS	26	F	JUN	NC	CONSUMPTION	00
GAMBELL, SUSANAH	TIPPAH CO.	MS	1	F	MAR	MS	INFLAMATION	00
GANN, NANCY D.	DE SOTO CO.	MS	1	F	SEP	MS	UNKNOWN	00
GANT, CAROLINE	CLARKE CO.	MS	13	F	NOV	MS	UNKNOWN	00
GARDINER, MARTIN	RANKIN CO.	MS	65	M	MAR	NC	DYSPEPSIA	00
GARDNER, A.J.	MARION CO.	MS	25	M	MAR	MS	KILL BY TREE	00
GARDNER, VIRGIL	CHICKASAW CO.	MS	13	M	OCT	AL	TYPHOID	00
GARNER, ELIZABETH	YALOBUSHA CO.	MS	14	F	JAN	AL	ACCIDENTIAL	00
GARNER, JOANNA	DE SOTO CO.	MS	73	F	APR	NC	DROPSY	00
GARRETT, ALICE JANE	HANCOCK CO.	MS	1	F	SEP	MS	WORMS	00
GARRETT, MARY J.	SIMPSON CO.	MS	1	F	APR	MS	CONGESTION	00
GARRETT, SPENCER	SIMPSON CO.	MS	4	M	OCT	MS	FEVER	00
GARRETT, THOMAS	DE SOTO CO.	MS	4	M	MAR	MS	TYPHOID	00
GARTLEY, LEWIS	YAZOO CO.	MS	3	M	JAN	MS	CHOLERA	00
GARTNER, CHARLOTTE	CLARKE CO.	MS	5	F	JUL	MS	BILS FEVER	00
GARY, HARDY	COAHOMA CO.	MS	20	M	MAR	MS	UNKNOWN	00
GASPUTITCH, LUCY	HANCOCK CO.	MS	1M	F	APR	MS	WORMS	00
GASTROFER, BARBARA	WARREN CO.	MS	33	F	OCT	GR	CRAMPS	00
GATES ELLENDER	SIMPSON CO.	MS	45	F	APR	SC	UNKNOWN	00
GATES, WILLIAM	SIMPSON CO.	MS	65	M	APR	GA	UNKNOWN	00
GATLIN, MARY ANN	ITAWAMBA CO.	MS	16	F	SEP	MS	FEVER	00
GAULDEN, ELIZABETH	WILKINSON CO.	MS	55	F	JUL	SC	FLUX	00
GAULDEN, LOUISIANA	WILKINSON CO.	MS	14	F	JUL	MS	FLUX	00
GEDIURN, REBECCA	ITAWAMBA CO.	MS	40	F	SEP	GA	FEVER	00
GENTRY, ELIJAH B.	ITAWAMBA CO.	MS	3M	M	FEB	MS	CROUP	00
GENTRY, MARY S.	LOWNDES CO.	MS	1M	F	FEB	MS	UNKNOWN	00
GENTRY, WILLIAM	CHOCTAW CO.	MS	26	M	SEP	AL	FEVER	00
GIBBONS, CATHERINE	KEMPER CO.	MS	14	F	OCT	AL	UNKNOWN	00
GIBBS, ADELICIA S.	YAZOO CO.	MS	1	F	FEB	MS	PNEUMONIA	00
GIBBS, MARY	HINDS CO.	MS	2	F	NOV	MS	DIABETES	00
GIBSON, ELIZA C.	MONROE CO.	MS	10M	F	FEB	MS	UNKNOWN	00
GIBSON, JOHN	HARRISON CO.	MS	7M	M	DEC	MS	SUDDLENLY	00
GIBSON, JOHN P.	MONROE CO.	MS	3	M	SEP	MS	CONGESTIVE	00
GIBSON, SILAS W.	CHICKASAW CO.	MS	3M	M	APR	MS	CROUP	00
GILBERT, AMBROSE	TISHOMINGO CO.	MS	44	M	AUG	NC	FEVER	00
GILBERT, ELIZABETH	CLAIBORNE CO.	MS	72	F	FEB	SC	DIARRHEA	00
GILBERT, JOHN S.	TISHOMINGO CO.	MS	19	M	JUL	KY	DIARRHEA	00
GILBERT, MARGARET	ISSAQUENA CO.	MS	2	F	NG	MS	FITS	00
GILBERT, WILLIAM E.	FRANKLIN CO.	MS	10M	M	SEP	LA	DIARRHEA	00
GILL, ABRAM	JACKSON CO.	MS	5	M	JUL	MS	CONSUMPTION	00
GILL, EIZABETH	LEAKE CO.	MS	1M	F	NOV	MS	UNKNOWN	00
GILL, MARY	HARRISON CO.	MS	1M	F	APR	MS	LOCKJAW	00
GILL, R.H.	LEAKE CO.	MS	42	M	DEC	SC	CHOLERA	00
GILL, TANNY A.	MARSHALL CO.	MS	1	F	NG	NG	UNKNOWN	00
GILLEYLEN, REBECCA	MONROE CO.	MS	55	F	DEC	SC	FEVER	00
GILLIAM, JANE	HOLMES CO.	MS	2	F	AUG	MS	WHOOPING CGH	00
GILLIAM, MARGARET H.	TIPPAH CO.	MS	20	F	JAN	TN	CONSUMPTION	00
GILLIAM, WILLLIAM M.	TIPPAH CO.	MS	40	M	OCT	NC	FALL	00
GILLIS, MARY	CLARKE CO.	MS	15	F	OCT	AL	FEVER	00
GILLISPIE, ALLEN P.	MARSHALL CO.	MS	9M	M	NOV	MS	FEVER	00
GILLMORE, WILLIAM	ADAMS CO.	MS	NONE	M	SEP	NG	LIVER	00
GILMORE, JOHN W.	NOXUBEE CO.	MS	4M	M	DEC	MS	UNKNOWN	00
GIPSON, AMY P.	LAUDERDALE CO.	MS	19	F	APR	AL	SCARLET FVR	00
GIRHAN, WILLIAM	PONTOTOC CO.	MS	3	M	JUL	AL	TYPHUS	00
GITHRUP, JAMES B.	ITAWAMBA CO.	MS	9	M	MAY	MS	FEVER	00
GLASS, ANNA	CARROLL CO.	MS	36	F	JUL	TN	UNKNOWN	00
GLASS, ROBERT	CARROLL CO.	MS	2	M	FEB	MS	WORMS	00

OBITUARIES AND MARRIAGE NOTICES FROM THE TENNESSEE BAPTIST: 1844-1862

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INTRODUCTION

The Tennessee Baptist had its beginning in January of 1835 in Nashville, Tennessee, with the founding of a small religious monthly by Dr. R. B. C. Howell, the pastor of that city's First Baptist Church. After several uncertain years of operation, it was suspended in 1842. Howell revived it in 1844 and soon expanded it into a weekly publication. In November of 1846 he was joined as Associate Editor by J. R. Graves, a schoolmaster lately turned preacher, who had recently come to Nashville from Kentucky. At about this time the paper had a paid subscription of just over 1,000. However, it had a growing following in several of the surrounding states. In June of 1848, when Howell left Nashville, Graves became the paper's Senior Editor, a position he held until August of 1889.

Graves, though young, was already an eloquent and dynamic speaker, a talented author and writer, despite being largely self-taught, and a man of ardent fervour for his work and possessing of an exemplary piety. Nevertheless, it was Graves' devotion to what he saw as the fundamental precepts of the Baptist Faith, which he chrisened the "Old Landmarks", that was his lasting contribution to posterity. Beginning in the early 1850's, he wages a tireless crusade on behalf of these cherished tenets making the Tennessee Baptist their chief spokesman. However, his views soon embroiled him in a bitter controversy with his former colleague, the somewhat more liberal and anti-landmark, Howell.

The fact that this sturggle was conducted through the columns of Graves's paper, and the fact that there were few if any other Baptist papers in the South, soon made it the most widely read denominational periodical, if not the most widely read religious newspaper, in the U. S. Just before the Civil War it had some 12,000 subscribers. At various times it was the official journal for Baptists in Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi and Tennessee.

Graves' format, in which he printed articles and correspondence from friend and foe alike, make his files one of the most remarkably complete glimpses into Southern religious life extant. It is not surprising that many of the faithful readers of the Tennessee Baptist chose to send the Graves their death and marriage notices. Despite his constant complaining about their number and their length, they continued to appear in ever increasing numbers, week after week.

With Federal Forces within a few miles of Nashville, Graves published the final number of the old Tennessee Baptist on February 15, 1862. After the War, the paper was re-established by Graves, this time in Memphis under the name of The Baptist. However, it was never able to regain its readership or successfully compete with the new Baptist papers that were rapidly appearing in state after state in the South, though it continued to be sidely read and supported. Files of the Tennessee Baptist are available on microfilm from the Historical Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention, 127 9th Ave., N., Nashville, Tennessee 37234.

R. P. Baker
Mabelvale, Arkansas
March 25, 1979

Lawrence Co., Ala. wife of
Dec. 11, 1847

A. Lady Nov. 20, 1851 in
Dec. 20, 1851

Grainger Co., Tenn. da. of
Jan. 9, 1858

ng in Miss.
Jan. 15 & April 9, 1853

Tippah Co., Miss. wife of
March 6, 1858

ippah Co., Miss.
March 6, 1858

Tippah Co., Miss. son of
Nov. 19, 1853

April 5, 1854 in
April 15, 1854

ford Co., Tenn.
July 8, 1854

Jonesboro, Tenn.(?)
Aug. 28, 1858

as Co., Ala. wife of
June 18, 1859

Co., Tenn. July 30, 1859

Calhoun Co., Ala. wife of
23 Jan. 29, 1859

Edwards May 6, 1857 in
June 6, 1857

soto, Co., Miss.
Sept. 6, 1851

in Walker Co.(?) da. of
Nov. 7, 1857

Walker Co., Ga. wife of
Nov. 7, 1857

an Juan, Porto Rico wife of
Feb. 2, 1856

of J. F. Gates
Jan. 14, 1854

Clainda __ 20 1846
March 14, 1846

n Desoto Co., Miss. son of
Feb. 16, 1856

59 in Cobb Co., Ga.
Feb. 12, 1859

GAULT, J. C. d. July 16, 1853 in Bedford Co., Tenn.
age 43 Nov. 12, 1853

GAYLE, JOHN ROBERT d. Nov. 3, 1852 in Haywood Co., Tenn.
age 23 Jan. 22, 1853

GAYLE, MARY ANN N. d. Aug. 6, 1832 in Davidson Co., Tenn. da. of
Eld. Peter S. Gayle Aug. 21, 1847

GAYLE, ELD. PETER S. d. June 8, 1853 at Clinton, Miss. age 51
June 25, July 9, 16 & 23 and Nov. 26, 1853

GAYLE, THOMAS d. July 3, 1851 at Washington, Texas
b. Jan. 1, 1824 Nov. 1, 1851

GENNINGS, NANCY d. 1857 in Wilson Co., Tenn. wife of
Jacob Gennings, b. Nov. 22, 1822 Aug. 22, 1857

GENTRY, CHARLES d. Sept. 16, 1846 in Jefferson Co., Tenn.
age 52 Dec. 5, 1846

GENTRY, DARTHULA ANN d. Dec. 15, 1854 near Dandridge(?) da. of
Charles Gentry, age 27 March 31, 1855

GEWIN, INDINAN d. Sept. 15, 1848 in Maulton, Ala. wife of
Chirstopher C. Gewin, age 30 Sept. 28, 1848

GIBBS, JONATHAN d. Jan. 1859 in Franklin Co., Ala.
age 70 March 5, 1859

GIBBS, MARTHA d. Feb. 15, 1860 in Macon, Tenn. wife of
Alfred Gibbs, age 47 Aug. 18, 1860

GIBSON, C. O. d. c. 1851 in Lawrence Co., Ala. son of
Sylvanus Gibson Jan. 24, 1852

GIBSON, ELD. SYLVANUS d. July 25, 1851 at Decatur, Ala. b. Nov. 24,
1783 Aug. 23 and Oct. 4, 1851 & Jan. 24, 1852

GIBSON, WILLIAM A. d. April 19, 1853 in Sumpter Co., Ala.
b. July 1, 1813(?) Jan. 7, 1854

GILBERT, ELD. A. B. d. Aug. 17, 1849 in Tishamingo Co., Miss.
Sept. 13, 1849

GILL, REBECCA S. d. Nov. 23, 1855 in Lincoln Co., Tenn. wife of
Alanson G. Gill, b. March 13, 1812 Feb. 9, 1856

GILL, W. W. married to Ellen Bailey near Keysburg, Ky.
Feb. 7, 1857

GILL, W. W. Jr. d. Jan. 30, 1853 in Lincoln Co., Tenn. son of
Alanson G. Gill, age 15 March 12, 1853

GILLASPIE, MARTHA W. d. April 28, 1858 in Jefferson Co., Ark.
age 66 May 22, 1858

GILLETTE, ELD. D. H. d. Feb. 9, 1845 in Mobile, Ala.
March 1, 1845

GILMORE, ELD. JOHN d. July 9, 1853 near Springfield, Mo.
age 43 Feb. 25. 1854

GILLMORE, MR. S. P. d. Dec. 19, 1859 in Green Co., Mo.
age 22 July 28, 1860

John was born on a farm in Bedford County, Tennessee. He was a capable and an energetic man, and his business ventures were many and successful. John married Sallie Gilbert. Some records indicate they were married in 1833, others a few years later. Sallie was born on the 16 (15) Aug 1816. She was a daughter of a Baptist minister, who traced his ancestry back to the Jamestown colony of 1607.

Record by daughter Cassandra J. McNatt provided the following:

"John Caperton McNatt was our father. He married one Sallie Gilbert, daughter of John Gilbert, a Baptist preacher of English parentage. This same John Gilbert had married Caroline Barker. She was the daughter of an old English Aristocrat belonging to the High Church of England.

Because his daughter married one so common (in his estimation) as a Baptist minister, he not only dis-owned but also dis-inherited her. For this reason we are unable to trace our grandmother's family farther than this.

FAMILY GROUP No. _____ Husband's Full Name *Calvin Gilbert*

This Information Obtained From: *1860 Tippah Co. MS Census Dry Run*

Husband's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth	*Ca 1835*			*TN*	
Chr'nd					
Mar.	*17 Aug 1854*	*Tishomingo*		*MS*	
Death					
Burial					

Places of Residence

Occupation _____ Church Affiliation _____ Military Rec. _____

Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

His Father _____ Mother's Maiden Name _____

Wife's Full Maiden Name *Sarah Wallis*

Wife's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth	*Ca 1842*			*TN*	
Chr'nd					
Death					
Burial					

Compiler _____

Address _____

City, State _____

Date _____

Places of Residence

Occupation if other than Housewife _____ Church Affiliation _____

Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

Her Father _____ Mother's Maiden Name _____

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
1	*Maude Gilbert*	Birth	*Ca 1857*			*MS*	
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
2	*Sarah F. Gilbert*	Birth	*Ca 1858*			*MS*	
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
3	*Elizabeth J.*	Birth	*Jan 1860*			*MS*	
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
4		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
5		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
6		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
7		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
8		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
9		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
10		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					

*If married more than once, No. each mar. (1) (2) etc. and list in "Add. info. on children" column. Use reverse side for additional children, other notes, references or information.

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472	27	169	167	Gilbert, Calvin	25	M	Farmer	450	500	TN				
				Sarah	18	F				"				
				Maude	3	F				MS				
				Sarah F.	2	F				"				
				Eliz. J.	5/12	F				"				

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FAMILY GROUP No. _____ Husband's Full Name *Ambrose Gilbert*

This Information Obtained From: *1870 Colbert Co. AL Census - Post office Cherokee*

Ile Gilbert Family by Earnest Earl Gilbert

Husband's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth	*Ca 1840*			*MS*	
Chr'nd					
Mar.	*14 Jan 1869*				
Death					
Burial					

Places of Residence

Occupation | Church Affiliation | Military Rec.

Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

His Father | Mother's Maiden Name

Wife's Full Maiden Name *Nancy Ann Boldin*

Wife's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth	~~*Ca 1848*~~	*28 May 1847*		*AL*	
Chr'nd					
Death					
Burial					

Compiler *Malanie Nolan*

Address

City, State

Date

Places of Residence

Occupation if other than Housewife | Church Affiliation

Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

Her Father | Mother's Maiden Name

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
1	*Mary E. Gilbert*	Birth	~~*22 Feb 1870*~~	*22 Dec 1869*		*AL*	
	Full Name of Spouse* *Charles Boatwright*	Mar.	*13 Feb 1887*				
		Death					
		Burial					
2	*Martha D. Gilbert*	Birth	*28 Sep 1871*				
	Full Name of Spouse* *Wallace or Wallis*	Mar.					
		Death	*10 Dec 1895*				
		Burial					
3	*John C. Gilbert*	Birth	*14 Feb 1873*	*Cherokee*		*AL*	
	Full Name of Spouse* *Henrietta Horton*	Mar.					
		Death	*1960*				
		Burial					
4	*Wm Ambrose Gilbert*	Birth	*21 Sep 1875*	*Iuka*		*MS*	
	Full Name of Spouse* *Mary Lucinda Vandiver*	Mar.	*10 Sep 1897*				
		Death	*19 Jan 1943*		*Collin*	*TX*	
		Burial	*Stony Point Cem*		*Collin*	*TX*	
5	*Margaret A. Gilbert*	Birth	*22 Sep 1875*				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death	*22 Sep 1875*				
		Burial					
6	*James Wesley Gilbert*	Birth	*3 Jan 1878*				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death	*17 Sep 1883*				
		Burial					
7	*Adair J. Gilbert*	Birth	*17 Jan 1880*				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death	*died early*				
		Burial					
8	*George Elmer Gilbert*	Birth	*28 Jul 1883*				
	Full Name of Spouse* 1. *Unknown* 2. *Mrs. Benson*	Mar.					
		Death	*Feb 1970*				
		Burial	*Oakwood Cem*	*Tuscumbia*		*AL*	
9	*Luticia Gilbert*	Birth	*23 Sep 1888*				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death	*20 Aug 1895*				
		Burial					
10	*Ada Jane Gilbert*	Birth	*1889*				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death	*6 Sep 1894*				
		Burial					

Twins

*If married more than once No. each mar. (1) (2) etc. and list in "Add. info. on children" column. Use reverse side for additional children, other notes, references or information.

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City Cherokee, County Colbert, State AL

*CONDITION: S = Single, M Married, W Widowed, D Divorced

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118	3	27	27	Gilbert, Ambrose	M	30				Farm Lab	MS		
				Barylinn	F	24				K house	AL		
				Mary	F	12					AL		
Tuscumbia				Colbert			AL			10 Jun 1870			
155	29	16	16	Gilbert, WA		56				Retired	NC		
				Sarah E		47							
				JW		24				MD			
				Joseph E		15							
				Henry C		12							
				Daniel W		12							

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The Gilbert Family
Written by: Ernest Earl Gilbert

A history of Ambrose Barker Gilbert, wife Sarah and their descendants. Written by Ernest Earl Gilbert, great grandson of Ambrose Barker Gilbert. We are indebted to the following for the information found in this brief history: an old Bible which was used by Rev. Ambrose Whitaker Gilbert, son of A.B. and Sarah Gilbert during the years of 1882-1891,E.L. Gilbert, our brother, William Ambrose Gilbert, my father, Mrs. Virginia Lee Gilbert, wife if Wheeler C. Gilbert Sr., old pictures and other records.

Ambrose Barker Gilbert and wife Sarah were born somewhere in North Carolina and moved to Cherokee, Alabama in the year of 1818. Whether they were married before they moved to Cherokee or whether Sarah was born in Alabama we do not know. We do know that A.B. Gilbert was born somewhere in the state of North Carolina, sometime between the years of 1790 and1800. He had a brother, John L. Gilbert, who died Wednesday, July25, 1849, and it is supposed that he is buried somewhere in or around Cherokee.

We believe that Ambrose Barker Gilbert and his wife Sarah had several children, one of which we do not have a record. Two sons, whose names we do not have, migrated to Texas in their young manhood and the place of their residence and their names have been Lost to their loved ones.

Sarah Gilbert, wife of A.B. Gilbert, died Friday, August 8, 1845 and her husband followed her in death on Sunday, August 19, 1849. They are buried in a cemetery in or around Cherokee.

To this union there were born several children, one of whom we do have a record. He is Ambrose Whitaker Gilbert, born at Cherokee on Wednesday, June 3, 1840. Ambrose Whitaker's mother, Sarah, died when he was five years of age and his father, Ambrose Barker Gilbert died when he was nine. It is supposed he was reared by older brothers and sisters.

When Ambrose Whitaker was a young man he enlisted in the armed forces of the United States and was a Confederate soldier during the Cival War. He served under the comand of General Albert Sidney Johnston and took part in several battles, among them the Battle of Shilo. He was wounded three times and in the Battle of Shilo he had the index finger of his left hand shot away. It was in this battle that General Johnston was shot from his horse fattaly wounded and soldier Gilbert was one of the first soldiers to reach the General and administer first aid. General Johnston died later from the wounds he received in this battle.

After the Civil War ended young Gilbert returned to Cherokee discouraged and disappointed. Then followed a number of years of hardship and reconstruction. During this time he met, courted, and won the heart of a young, beautiful, and vivacious full blood Indian maiden, supposedly of the Cherokee Tribe, Nancy A. Boldin. They were married on Thursday, January 14,1869. A.W. was 28 years of age and Nancy was 21 at the time of their marriage. She was born on Friday, May 28, 1847.

He surrendered to preach the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ and was ordained a Baptist minister in the year of our Lord, 1882.

For nine years he and Nancy sacrificed material things in life that they wanted and needed in order to tell the good news of Christ's Love and His power to save. On Thursday, January 22, 1891 Ambrose Whitaker Gilbert died and is buried in a cemetery at Cherokee, Alabama. He was at the time of his death 51 years of age. His wife, Nancy, lived 30 years longer then her husband with her son John C. Gilbert, and died on Friday, November 18, 1921. She was at the time of her death 74 years of age and is buried by the side of her husband in a cemetery at Cherokee.

To this union were born 10 children, 5 boys and 5 girls. They are as follows starting with the oldest daughter and naming them in order of their birth. Mary E. Gilbert, known to her friends and loved ones as Mollie, was born on Wednesday, December 22, 1869. Martha A. Gilbert, known as Maggie, was born on Friday, April 28, 1871. John C. Gilbert was born Friday, February 14, 1873. William Ambrose Gilbert, known as Wid, was born Wednesday, just before midnight, April 21, 1875; his twin sister Margaret A. Gilbert was born after midnight, Thursday, April 22, 1875 and died that day. James Washington Gilbert was born Thursday, January 31, 18778 and died Monday, September 17, 1883 at the age of 5. Adair J. Gilbert was born Thursday, June 17, 1880. We have no record of his death, but from meager information we do have it appears his death occurred when he was a small boy. George Tilmon Gilbert was born Saturday, July 28, 1883. Luticia Gilbert was born Monday, April 23, 1888 and died Tuesday, August 20, 1895. She was 7 years of age at the time of her death. Ada Jane Gilbert was born in the latter part of 1889, and died Thursday, September 6, 1894. She was 5 years of age when she died.

Now to give a brief history of the Gilberts who lived to adulthood.

Mary E. Gilbert, known to her family as Mollie, was united in marriage to Charles Boatwright, Sunday, February 13, 1887. To this union were born two sons and four daughters. The sons are Jesse Edgar born Tuesday, November 13, 1888; Charles Boatwright, Jr. born Thursday, May 20, 1897; and four daughters whose names we do not have.

Martha A. Gilbert, known to her family as Maggie, married a young man by the name of Wallace or Wallis. We do not have his given name nor do we know when he died. Martha died Tuesday, December 10, 1895. We do not know where she is buried. She was 24 years of age when she died.

The information of the John C. Gilbert family is very limited and if any errors occur in the brief history that follows we hope some of the close relatives of Uncle John will correct those errors and write a full history of he and Aunt Henrietta, his wife, their children, their grandchildren and add to this brief account.

John C. Gilbeert was born Friday, February 14, 1873, near the town of Cherokee, Alabama and spent most of his life there. Sometime in life he became a Christian and later was ordained a deacon in a Baptist church, which office he faithfully filled and performed the duties of that office as set forth in the 6th chapter of the Acts of the Apostles. His father Rev. A.W. Gilbert died when John was about 18 years of age and he being the oldest of the children at home, he assumed the duties of providing a living for his mother and the other members of the family who were at home. This was a noble gesture of love on John's part and the Lord has and will reward him accordingly.

On Thursday, July 18, 1895 John C. Gilbert and Henrietta Horton were married. We do not have the date nor the place of Henrietta's birth. We hope some of the children can supply this information. We have the names of five children born into this home. The names of them are Edna, Maude, Myrtle, Wheeler C., And John Edmond. Henrietta, the mother died in 1959 and her husband followed her in death in 1960. We understand that John C. Gilbert and wife Henrietta were Christ-like people and were a great help to their church and their community as well as rearing a family of noble sons and daughters.

William Ambrose Gilbert, better known to his loved ones as Wid, was born Wednesday, April 21, 1875 at Iuka, Mississippi. He met Mary Lucindy Vandiver of Savannah, Tennesee and they were married Saturday, April 10, 1897. Mary was born Friday, July 26, 1878 in Alcorn County, Mississippi.

To this union were born five sons, two of whom were born in Tennessee before the family moved to Texas. Howell Roy Gilbert was born Saturday, April 16, 1898 and his brother William George Gilbert, better known as Willie, was born Tuesday, November 2, 1900. Both were born in the state of Tenessee.

In 1901 Wid Gilbert and his little family moved to Texas and three more sons were added to their family after the move. Ernest Earl Gilbert was born Saturday, August 30, 1902 and Newton Johnson "Newt" Gilbert was born Sunday, November 1, 1903 at Wolf City, Hunt County, Texas. In 1904 Wid and Mary Gilbert, with their four sons moved to Anna, Collin County, Texas where they reared their family and where their youngest son E.L. (Euless Laverne?), better known as Buddy, was born Friday, August 11, 1911.

Early in life Wid and Mary confessed their faith in Christ and were baptised into a Baptist church. Wid was ordained a deacon in the White Rock Baptist Church about 7 or 8 miles southeast of Anna, Texas. This ordination service took place about the year of 1920. He taught the Men's Bible Class in this church for a number of years and when he and Mary moved to Melissa, Texas to make their home in retirement he was elected to teach the Bible Class in the First Baptist Church of Melissa. To go back into his life when he was in his late teens, Wid and some companions were working some timber and a falling log fell on his right leg and crushed it to the extent that his leg never recovered its normalcy again. He walked with a limp throughout the remainder of his life. He died Saturday, June 19, 1943 and his son Ernest was his pastor at the time of his death. Mary, his wife, lived two years longer than her husband and passed away Sunday, August 12, 1945. Wid died of a heart attack and was 66 years of age at the time of his passing. Mary died of cancer and was 67 when she passed away. They are buried in the Stony Point Cemetery about seven miles east of Melissa on the Melissa-Blue Ridge Road in Collin County, Texas about 40 miles north of Dallas.

Howell Roy, the oldest son of Wid and Mary Gilbert married Mary Lena Aston and they have three daughters: Ruby who married Jack Bruner, Nelda who married Billy H. Baldwin, and Joann. We do not have the name of Joann's husband. Their only son, Billy Jim was a veteran of World War II and was wounded when the Battle of the Bulge took place. This would later cause his death. Howell is a retired farmer and he and Mary Lena are living in the little town of Melissa.

William George Gilbert was for many years a Baptist minister and was at the time of his death, December 1961, pastor of the Murphy Baptist Church north of Dallas about 15 miles. He married Mary Davis, a member of one of Collin County's pioneer families and to them were born four children; one son Garnet who with his wife and two children live in Ft. Worth, Texas and three daughters; Wanda, Mrs. Leon Hand of New Mexico, Rita who married Dr. George Kemp and they live in Louisiana. He is a professor in one of the colleges of that state, and Lottie who married James Nelson. Lottie and James together with their two children and their Mother, Mary, live in Killeen, Texas.

Ernest Earl Gilbert married Virgie Grace Fults on Wednesday, January 7, 1925 and for 42 years has been a Baptist pastor and evangelist. They have four daughters and one son. Mildred, Mrs. Ralph Litt, living near Fredericktown, Ohio, Helen, Mrs. Joe Sanders, living in Dallas, Patsy, Mrs. Harvey Cantelou living in Denton, Texas, Bobbie Jean, Mrs. James R. West, missionaries to Venezuela, and Max (Ernest Max) together with his wife Judy (Enlow), living in Denton, Texas. The Ernest Gilbert's have twelve grandchildren. Mildred has two sons, Terry and Edward, and one daughter, Dalene. Helen has one daughter, Marlene. Patsy has three, one son Larry and two daughters, Donna and Dana. Bobbie has four, two daughters and two sons, Delana, Darryl, Deanna, and Darren. Max has one daughter, Sharilyn Kay.

Newton Johnson Gilbert married Charlsie Martin and they have two sons and two daughters. Douglas, Charles, Linda and Marcella, all of whom live in or near Dallas. Newt is a retired watchmaker and he together with his wife, Charlsie, live at Rennen, Texas north of Dallas a few miles. He spent most of his adult life at the trade of watch making or horology and has lived near Dallas during that time. He now has a gripping heart ailment that caused his retirement and has spent a good deal of time in the hospital.

E.L. Gilbert, Sr., known as Buddy, is married to Frances Sanstrom and they have two daughters; Frances Lillian, Mrs. James Randles, living at Mesquite, Texas near Dallas, and Loutricia, married to Rev. William Arnold, living in Indianoma, Oklahoma, and one son, E.L. Jr., Known as Bud, married and living in Granite City, Illinois. The E.L. Gilbert's have six granddaughters: Frances Lillian has two- Melody and Monica; Loutricia has three- Tracy, Stacy, and Carey; and Bud has one- Stephanie. For a number of years Buddy was manager of the Farmers and Merchants Cotton Gin at Anna, Texas and now has been warehouse manager for the Howell Furniture Co. of McKinney, Texas, since leaving the cotton gin a number of years ago. This concludes the brief account of the Wid and Mary Gilbert family, their children and their grandchildren.

And now we come to George Tilmon Gilbert and his family. He was the youngest son of Rev. A.W. and Nancy Gilbert, the youngest brother of John C. and William Ambrose Gilbert, and the grandson of Ambrose Barker and Sarah Gilbert. George Tilmon srent most of his life in and around Tuscumbia, Alabama. When a young man he was married, but we do not know the name of his wife nor do we know when they were married and when she died. To this union was born one son, Irving Gilbert of Gardendale, Alabama, and three daughters: Beatrice, Mrs. Henry, and they are living at Gardendale. Connie Mae, Mrs. Waldrep, living at Cherokee, Alabama, and Mary, Mrs. Borden, living at Tuscumbia. George's wife died and he later married a Mrs. Benson of Tuscumbia who had four children: two sons, Oliver and Vernon Benson and two daughters, Mrs. Jack Henson and Mrs. Robert Allison, all of Tuscumbia. Geeorge Tilmon Gilbert died in February, 1970 and is buried in Oakwood Cemetery at Tuscumbia. He was a member of the Calvery Baptist Church of that city where his funeral was held, cunducted by his pastor Rev. E.G. Pounders. George Tilmon was eighty-six years of age at the time of his death and was a retired City of Tuscumbia Employee. As has been stated about some of the other Gilberts, we hope some member of this good family will correct all errors in this full family history and add it to this brief history.

Now to give some highlights of the Gilberts and their descendents. We are in touch, through correspondence, with the Wheeler C. Gilberts and the John Edmond Gilberts, sons of John C. Gilbert. We do not know the maiden name of either Wheeler's wife, Virginia Lee, nor Grace, the wife of John Edmond, but through our contacts we have learned to love and appreciate these noble families. Wheeler and Virginia Lee have six children. Barbra is a registered nurse in Atlanta, Georgia and is performing a great humanitarian work for mankind. Wheeler Jr. (Bud) is taking his degree from the University of Kentucky at Louisville. John holds a responsible position with his company at Silver City, Maryland.

Jefferry is taking his degree in journalism at the University of Maryland. Bruce has a degree in his chosen field of work and is honored by his company and Judy holds a responsible position with an insurance firm in Landover, Maryland, but plans to travel to Europe during the summer of 1970, after which she will enter the University for graduate study. Wheeler Sr. and Virginia Lee have for a number of years lived at Bowie, Maryland, a suburb of Washington, D.C. where Wheeler died in April 1968. At the time of his death he held a responsible position with General Electric.

John Edmond, the youngest son of John C. and Henrietta Gilbert is living in Florence, Alabama. He has for many years been connected with the Tennessee Valley Authority (T.V.A.) and holds a responsible position with that firm. He and his wife, Grace, have two sons, Jack of New York City and Harry, a Senior in the University of Alabama at Florence. A number of years ago Harry surrendered his life to do special work in Christ Service and is a music major in the University. In the summer of 1969 he was appointed a student missionary by the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention and was sent to the Watts District in Los Angeles, California. He plans to continue his study in music either in Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky or Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Ft. Worth, Texas.

When Mrs. James R. West, nee Bobbie Jean Gilbert, youngest daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E.E. Gilbert was a Junior in high school in Lewisville, Texas, she surrendered her life to Christ to be a foreign missionary. After high school and college, she and her husband, Rev. James R. West, a college and seminary graduate were appointed by the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention to serve in South America in the country of Venezuela. Their appointment came through May 6, 1969. Bobbie is a granddaughter of Wid and Mary Gilbert, a great granddaughter of Rev. A.W. and Nancy Gilbert, and a great great granddaughter of Ambrose Barker and Sarah Gilbert.

Another fact to be noted is : none of the Gilberts owned black slaves, that we have any record. The fact is they were opposed to slavery of any race of people and were outspoken in their opposition to slavery. It is true that Ambrose Whitaker Gilbert was a Confederate soldier during the Civil War under the command of General Albert Sidney Johnston, yet the records show that he was fighting for the right of the Southern states to secede from the Union if they wanted to. He was strongly in favor of giving the black slaves their freedom and so stated many times for he believed in the Bible principle "God that made the world and all things therein, and hath made of one blood all nations of men to dwell on all the face of the earth--."

Finally, it is interesting now we were able to arrive at the day of the week of a birth or death. The reason is we have in our possession a calendar that spans 200 years from 1776 to 1976. For example, it is stated in the records that Rev. Ambrose Whitaker Gilbert was born June 3, 1840. We searched this 200 year calendar and found that June 3,1840 was on Wednesday.

Now our little labor of love is about finished except for a brief autobiography of myself and my life's work as a minister of the Gospel of Christ. We will try to complete this for the benefit of our children and grandchildren before the Lord calls us home.

Ernest Earl Gilbert
Medina, Texas
April 10, 1970

This has been recopied by Sharilyn Kay Wilson (Gilbert)

February 15, 2001

from The Village Messenger, Fayetteville, Tennessee,
Vol. II, No. 25, August 15, 1824:

MARRIED,
On Wednesday 18th inst. by I. CONGER, Esq., Maj.
Robert MOORE to Miss Hannah MOORES, both of
this county.

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from The Village Messenger, Fayetteville, Tennessee,
Vol. II, No. 27, September 8, 1824:

DIED,
In Davidson county, 2d ult. Mr. Thomas EDMISTON.
Major Clement HALL, aged 71, a soldier of the
revolution.

At Nashville, 7th ult. James TRIMBLE, Esq. formerly a
judge of the Circuit Court in this State, in the 45th year
of his age.

On the 17th ult. Maj. William N. MANIFEE, aged 27.

In this town on Sunday last, Mr. John W. GORDON, a
native of Ireland, aged 28. His remains were interred
on Monday, with Masonic honors by Warren Lodge
No. 19, of which he was a member. He has left a wife
and two small children to mourn their loss.

NOTICE.
Agreeable to an order from the Brigadier General, I
shall open and hold an election at the Court House in
the town of Fayetteville, and at William CRUNK's on
Cane creek, on Monday and Tuesday, the 4th and 5th
of October, next for the purpose of electing a
SECOND MAJOR for the 63d Regiment of
Tennessee Militia, to fill the vacancy occasioned by
resignation of Henry CLIFT.
WM. HUSBANDS, Sheriff
Fayetteville, September 5, 1824

from The Village Messenger, Fayetteville, Tennessee,
Vol. II, No. 28, September 15, 1824:

MARRIED,
On Monday evening last, Mr. James M'COLLUM, to
Miss Keziah BROILES, both of this county.

DIED,
On Sunday last, at his residence on Shelton's Creek,
Ambrose BARKER, Esq., aged about 40.

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from The Village Messenger, Fayetteville, Tennessee,
Vol. I, Number III, March 25, 1823:

Candidates for Congress

The following Gentlemen are Candidates to represent
the 6th Congressional District, composed of the
Counties of Maury, Giles, Lincoln, and Bedford: --

ALFRED M. HARRIS, Esq. of Giles;
Col. ANDREW ERWIN, of Bedford;
Col. -------- SANDFORD, of Maury.

Melancholy. - On Friday last, as a man of the name
of Joseph SHAW was attempting to cross Cane
creek, at the lower ford, he fell from his horse and
drowned. He had been in town and left here for
home, we are informed, in a state of intoxication.

from The Village Messenger, Fayetteville, Tennessee,
April 1, 1823:

MARRIED,
On Tuesday evening last, by the Rev. Hardy
HOLMAN, Mr. Jesse B. CLEMENTS, to Miss Lucinda
NORRIS, all of this County.

At Nashville, Sunday evening, 23d ult. Maj. JOSEPH
NORVELL, editor of the "Nashville Whig," to Miss
AGNES WALKER, all of that place.

DIED,
At his residence in Madison county, on the 27th ult the
Hon. JOHN W. WALKER, late Senator in Congress

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from The Village Messenger, Fayetteville, Tennessee,
Vol. 3, No. 8, June 21, 1826:

MARRIED,
Yesterday, at the office of Charles BOYLES, Esq. in Fayetteville, by R. DICKSON, Esq., Mr. Notley WILKINSON to Miss Peggy RICHARDSON, both of Lincoln County.

In Madison, Ala. by Rev. Mr. M'MAHAN, Rev. Isaac SULLIVAN to Miss Mary B. HARRIS.

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from The Village Messenger, Fayetteville, Tennessee,
Vol. 3, No. 10, July 5, 1826:

NOTICE.
All persons having claims or demands against the estate of Hardy HOLMAN, late of Lincoln County, deceased, are hereby requested to bring them forward, duly authenticated, within the time prescribed by law, or they will be forever barred. And all those indebted to said estate are likewise requested to make payment without delay.
CHARLES BRIGHT
ABNER STEED
J. H. LEFTWICH, Executors
July 3, 1826

NOTICE.
All persons having claims against the estate of Jeremiah DENNIS, late of Lincoln county, deceased, are hereby requested to bring them forward . . .
JAMES DENNIS, Executor
July 3, 1826

from The Village Messenger, Fayetteville, Tennessee,
Vol. 3, No. 10, July 5, 1826:

Remaining in the Post Office in Fayetteville, Ten. on the 1st day of July 1826, which if not taken out before the 1st of October, next, will be sent to the General Post Office as dead letters.
J. P. M'CONNELL, P. M.

A. B. Arrington
J. Anderson
Wm. Anderson
Jacob Albright
Patton Anderson
S. H. Littleton
Anna Laman
William Lock
Vincent Littrels
James Luna

DIED,
In this County on the 28th ult. Mr. James M'CORMACK, aged about 50 years.

from The Village Messenger, Fayetteville, Tennessee, Vol. 4, No. 16, September 14, 1827:

Dissolution.
The Partnership heretofore existing under the firm of Weigart and Bryant, is this day mutually dissolved. All persons indebted to said firm are requested to come forward and make immediate settlement either by cash or note as it is indispensably necessary that the business should be speedily closed.

JOHN WEIGART
N. A. BRYANT
Fayetteville Sept. 10, 1827

SHERIFF'S SALE.
By virtue of an execution issued from the County Court of Lincoln county at the July term 1827, and to me directed in favor of R. H. M'EWEN, I shall sell for cash at the court house door in the town of Fayetteville on the 17th day of October next, all the right, title, claim and interest that John Randolph, Mary Ann, Minerva Adeline, and Peter BARKER, heirs of Ambrose BARKER, deceased, have in and to one hundred and sixty acres of land adjoining the School land on the waters of Shelton's creek in Lincoln county; the same being the land on which said heirs now live. Sale within lawful hours.

WM. HUSBANDS, Shff.
By his Deputy, JOHN DUKE
Sept. 1, 1827

from The Village Messenger, Fayetteville, Tennessee, Vol. 4, No. 18, September 28, 1827:

DIED,
In this town on Monday night, Mary, daughter of Maj. J. P. M'CONNELL, aged about 6 years.

On the same night, an infant daughter of Ebenezer HILL, Senior editor of this paper.

At his residence in this county, on the night of the 23d inst. Captain Randolph QUARLES, for a long time a citizen of this county. He was attacked with a violent bilious fever on Tuesday evening, and expired on the following Sunday evening, thus being ushered into the presence of his maker in the short period of six days from the time of his first indisposition. It would be useless for the pen of eulogy to attempt to do justice to the memory of Capt. QUARLES. The enquiry

The Gilbert Family
Written by: Ernest Earl Gilbert

A history of Ambrose Barker Gilbert, wife Sarah and their descendants. Written by Ernest Earl Gilbert, great grandson of Ambrose Barker Gilbert. We are indebted to the following for the information found in this brief history: an old Bible which was used by Rev. Ambrose Whitaker Gilbert, son of A.B. and Sarah Gilbert during the years of 1882-1891,E.L. Gilbert, our brother, William Ambrose Gilbert, my father, Mrs. Virginia Lee Gilbert, wife if Wheeler C. Gilbert Sr., old pictures and other records.

Ambrose Barker Gilbert and wife Sarah were born somewhere in North Carolina and moved to Cherokee, Alabama in the year of 1818. Whether they were married before they moved to Cherokee or whether Sarah was born in Alabama we do not know. We do know that A.B. Gilbert was born somewhere in the state of North Carolina, sometime between the years of 1790 and1800. He had a brother, John L. Gilbert, who died Wednesday, July25, 1849, and it is supposed that he is buried somewhere in or around Cherokee.

We believe that Ambrose Barker Gilbert and his wife Sarah had several children, one of which we do not have a record. Two sons, whose names we do not have, migrated to Texas in their young manhood and the place of their residence and their names have been Lost to their loved ones.

Sarah Gilbert, wife of A.B. Gilbert, died Friday, August 8, 1845 and her husband followed her in death on Sunday, August 19, 1849. They are buried in a cemetery in or around Cherokee.

To this union there were born several children, one of whom we do have a record. He is Ambrose Whitaker Gilbert, born at Cherokee on Wednesday, June 3, 1840. Ambrose Whitaker's mother, Sarah, died when he was five years of age and his father, Ambrose Barker Gilbert died when he was nine. It is supposed he was reared by older brothers and sisters.

When Ambrose Whitaker was a young man he enlisted in the armed forces of the United States and was a Confederate soldier during the Cival War. He served under the comand of General Albert Sidney Johnston and took part in several battles, among them the Battle of Shilo. He was wounded three times and in the Battle of Shilo he had the index finger of his left hand shot away. It was in this battle that General Johnston was shot from his horse fattaly wounded and soldier Gilbert was one of the first soldiers to reach the General and administer first aid. General Johnston died later from the wounds he received in this battle.

After the Civil War ended young Gilbert returned to Cherokee discouraged and disappointed. Then followed a number of years of hardship and reconstruction. During this time he met, courted, and won the heart of a young, beautiful, and vivacious full blood Indian maiden, supposedly of the Cherokee Tribe, Nancy A. Boldin. They were married on Thursday, January 14,1869. A.W. was 28 years of age and Nancy was 21 at the time of their marriage. She was born on Friday, May 28, 1847.

He surrendered to preach the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ and was ordained a Baptist minister in the year of our Lord, 1882.

For nine years he and Nancy sacrificed material things in life that they wanted and needed in order to tell the good news of Christ's Love and His power to save. On Thursday, January 22, 1891 Ambrose Whitaker Gilbert died and is buried in a cemetery at Cherokee, Alabama. He was at the time of his death 51 years of age. His wife, Nancy, lived 30 years longer then her husband with her son John C. Gilbert, and died on Friday, November 18, 1921. She was at the time of her death 74 years of age and is buried by the side of her husband in a cemetery at Cherokee.

To this union were born 10 children, 5 boys and 5 girls. They are as follows starting with the oldest daughter and naming them in order of their birth. Mary E. Gilbert, known to her friends and loved ones as Mollie, was born on Wednesday, December 22, 1869. Martha A. Gilbert, known as Maggie, was born on Friday, April 28, 1871. John C. Gilbert was born Friday, February 14, 1873. William Ambrose Gilbert, known as Wid, was born Wednesday, just before midnight, April 21, 1875; his twin sister Margaret A. Gilbert was born after midnight, Thursday, April 22, 1875 and died that day. James Washington Gilbert was born Thursday, January 31, 18778 and died Monday, September 17, 1883 at the age of 5. Adair J. Gilbert was born Thursday, June 17, 1880. We have no record of his death, but from meager information we do have it appears his death occurred when he was a small boy. George Tilmon Gilbert was born Saturday, July 28, 1883. Luticia Gilbert was born Monday, April 23, 1888 and died Tuesday, August 20, 1895. She was 7 years of age at the time of her death. Ada Jane Gilbert was born in the latter part of 1889, and died Thursday, September 6, 1894. She was 5 years of age when she died.

Now to give a brief history of the Gilberts who lived to adulthood.

Mary E. Gilbert, known to her family as Mollie, was united in marriage to Charles Boatwright, Sunday, February 13, 1887. To this union were born two sons and four daughters. The sons are Jesse Edgar born Tuesday, November 13, 1888; Charles Boatwright, Jr. born Thursday, May 20, 1897; and four daughters whose names we do not have.

Martha A. Gilbert, known to her family as Maggie, married a young man by the name of Wallace or Wallis. We do not have his given name nor do we know when he died. Martha died Tuesday, December 10, 1895. We do not know where she is buried. She was 24 years of age when she died.

The information of the John C. Gilbert family is very limited and if any errors occur in the brief history that follows we hope some of the close relatives of Uncle John will correct those errors and write a full history of he and Aunt Henrietta, his wife, their children, their grandchildren and add to this brief account.

John C. Gilbert was born Friday, February 14, 1873, near the town of Cherokee, Alabama and spent most of his life there. Sometime in life he became a Christian and later was ordained a deacon in a Baptist church, which office he faithfully filled and performed the duties of that office as set forth in the 6th chapter of the Acts of the Apostles. His father

Rev. A.W. Gilbert died when John was about 18 years of age and he being the oldest of the children at home, he assumed the duties of providing a living for his mother and the other members of the family who were at home. This was a noble gesture of love on John's part and the Lord has and will reward him accordingly.

On Thursday, July 18, 1895 John C. Gilbert and Henrietta Horton were married. We do not have the date nor the place of Henrietta's birth. We hope some of the children can supply this information. We have the names of five children born into this home. The names of them are Edna, Maude, Myrtle, Wheeler C., And John Edmond. Henrietta, the mother died in 1959 and her husband followed her in death in 1960. We understand that John C. Gilbert and wife Henrietta were Christ-like people and were a great help to their church and their community as well as rearing a family of noble sons and daughters.

William Ambrose Gilbert, better known to his loved ones as Wid, was born Wednesday, April 21, 1875 at Iuka, Mississippi. He met Mary Lucindy Vandiver of Savannah, Tennesee and they were married Saturday, April 10, 1897. Mary was born Friday, July 26, 1878 in Alcorn County, Mississippi.

To this union were born five sons, two of whom were born in Tennessee before the family moved to Texas. Howell Roy Gilbert was born Saturday, April 16, 1898 and his brother William George Gilbert, better known as Willie, was born Tuesday, November 2, 1900. Both were born in the state of Tennessee.

In 1901 Wid Gilbert and his little family moved to Texas and three more sons were added to their family after the move. Ernest Earl Gilbert was born Saturday, August 30, 1902 and Newton Johnson "Newt" Gilbert was born Sunday, November 1, 1903 at Wolf City, Hunt County, Texas. In 1904 Wid and Mary Gilbert, with their four sons moved to Anna, Collin County, Texas where they reared their family and where their youngest son E.L. (Euless Laverne?), better known as Buddy, was born Friday, August 11, 1911.

Early in life Wid and Mary confessed their faith in Christ and were baptised into a Baptist church. Wid was ordained a deacon in the White Rock Baptist Church about 7 or 8 miles southeast of Anna, Texas. This ordination service took place about the year of 1920. He taught the Men's Bible Class in this church for a number of years and when he and Mary moved to Melissa, Texas to make their home in retirement he was elected to teach the Bible Class in the First Baptist Church of Melissa. To go back into his life when he was in his late teens, Wid and some companions were working some timber and a falling log fell on his right leg and crushed it to the extent that his leg never recovered its normalcy again. He walked with a limp throughout the remainder of his life. He died Saturday, June 19, 1943 and his son Ernest was his pastor at the time of his death. Mary, his wife, lived two years longer than her husband and passed away Sunday, August 12, 1945. Wid died of a heart attack and was 66 years of age at the time of his passing. Mary died of cancer and was 67 when she passed away. They are buried in the Stony Point Cemetery about seven miles east of Melissa on the Melissa-Blue Ridge Road in Collin County, Texas about 40 miles north of Dallas.

Howell Roy, the oldest son of Wid and Mary Gilbert married Mary Lena Aston and they have three daughters: Ruby who married Jack Bruner, Nelda who married Billy H. Baldwin,

and Joann. We do not have the name of Joann's husband. Their only son, Billy Jim was a veteran of World War II and was wounded when the Battle of the Bulge took place. This would later cause his death. Howell is a retired farmer and he and Mary Lena are living in the little town of Melissa.

William George Gilbert was for many years a Baptist minister and was at the time of his death, December 1961, pastor of the Murphy Baptist Church north of Dallas about 15 miles. He married Mary Davis, a member of one of Collin County's pioneer families and to them were born four children; one son Garnet who with his wife and two children live in Ft. Worth, Texas and three daughters; Wanda, Mrs. Leon Hand of New Mexico, Rita who married Dr. George Kemp and they live in Louisiana. He is a professor in one of the colleges of that state, and Lottie who married James Nelson. Lottie and James together with their two children and their Mother, Mary, live in Killeen, Texas.

Ernest Earl Gilbert married Virgie Grace Fults on Wednesday, January 7, 1925 and for 42 years has been a Baptist pastor and evangelist. They have four daughters and one son. Mildred, Mrs. Ralph Litt, living near Fredericktown, Ohio, Helen, Mrs. Joe Sanders, living in Dallas, Patsy, Mrs. Harvey Cantelou living in Denton, Texas, Bobbie Jean, Mrs. James R. West, missionaries to Venezuela, and Max (Ernest Max) together with his wife Judy (Enlow), living in Denton, Texas. The Ernest Gilbert's have twelve grandchildren. Mildred has two sons, Terry and Edward, and one daughter, Dalene. Helen has one daughter, Marlene. Patsy has three, one son Larry and two daughters, Donna and Dana. Bobbie has four, two daughters and two sons, Delana, Darryl, Deanna, and Darren. Max has one daughter, Sharilyn Kay.

Newton Johnson Gilbert married Charlsie Martin and they have two sons and two daughters. Douglas, Charles, Linda and Marcella, all of whom live in or near Dallas. Newt is a retired watchmaker and he together with his wife, Charlsie, live at Rennen, Texas north of Dallas a few miles. He spent most of his adult life at the trade of watch making or horology and has lived near Dallas during that time. He now has a gripping heart ailment that caused his retirement and has spent a good deal of time in the hospital.

E.L. Gilbert, Sr., known as Buddy, is married to Frances Sanstrom and they have two daughters; Frances Lillian, Mrs. James Randles, living at Mesquite, Texas near Dallas, and Loutricia, married to Rev. William Arnold, living in Indianoma, Oklahoma, and one son, E.L. Jr., Known as Bud, married and living in Granite City, Illinois. The E.L. Gilbert's have six granddaughters: Frances Lillian has two- Melody and Monica; Loutricia has three- Tracy, Stacy, and Carey; and Bud has one- Stephanie. For a number of years Buddy was manager of the Farmers and Merchants Cotton Gin at Anna, Texas and now has been warehouse manager for the Howell Furniture Co. of McKinney, Texas, since leaving the cotton gin a number of years ago. This concludes the brief account of the Wid and Mary Gilbert family, their children and their grandchildren.

And now we come to George Tilmon Gilbert and his family. He was the youngest son of Rev. A.W. and Nancy Gilbert, the youngest brother of John C. and William Ambrose Gilbert, and the grandson of Ambrose Barker and Sarah Gilbert. George Tilmon srent most of his life in and around Tuscumbia, Alabama. When a young man he was married, but we do not know the name of his wife nor do we know when they were married and when she

died. To this union was born one son, Irving Gilbert of Gardendale, Alabama, and three daughters: Beatrice, Mrs. Henry, and they are living at Gardendale. Connie Mae, Mrs. Waldrep, living at Cherokee, Alabama, and Mary, Mrs. Borden, living at Tuscumbia. George's wife died and he later married a Mrs. Benson of Tuscumbia who had four children: two sons, Oliver and Vernon Benson and two daughters, Mrs. Jack Henson and Mrs. Robert Allison, all of Tuscumbia. George Tilmon Gilbert died in February, 1970 and is buried in Oakwood Cemetery at Tuscumbia. He was a member of the Calvery Baptist Church of that city where his funeral was held, conducted by his pastor Rev. E.G. Pounders. George Tilmon was eighty-six years of age at the time of his death and was a retired City of Tuscumbia Employee. As has been stated about some of the other Gilberts, we hope some member of this good family will correct all errors in this full family history and add it to this brief history.

Now to give some highlights of the Gilberts and their descendents. We are in touch, through correspondence, with the Wheeler C. Gilberts and the John Edmond Gilberts, sons of John C. Gilbert. We do not know the maiden name of either Wheeler's wife, Virginia Lee, nor Grace, the wife of John Edmond, but through our contacts we have learned to love and appreciate these noble families. Wheeler and Virginia Lee have six children. Barbra is a registered nurse in Atlanta, Georgia and is performing a great humanitarian work for mankind. Wheeler Jr. (Bud) is taking his degree from the University of Kentucky at Louisville. John holds a responsible position with his company at Silver City, Maryland. Jefferry is taking his degree in journalism at the University of Maryland. Bruce has a degree in his chosen field of work and is honored by his company and Judy holds a responsible position with an insurance firm in Landover, Maryland, but plans to travel to Europe during the summer of 1970, after which she will enter the University for graduate study. Wheeler Sr. and Virginia Lee have for a number of years lived at Bowie, Maryland, a suburb of Washington, D.C. where Wheeler died in April 1968. At the time of his death he held a responsible position with General Electric.

John Edmond, the youngest son of John C. and Henrietta Gilbert is living in Florence, Alabama. He has for many years been connected with the Tennessee Valley Authority (T.V.A.) and holds a responsible position with that firm. He and his wife, Grace, have two sons, Jack of New York City and Harry, a Senior in the University of Alabama at Florence. A number of years ago Harry surrendered his life to do special work in Christ Service and is a music major in the University. In the summer of 1969 he was appointed a student missionary by the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention and was sent to the Watts District in Los Angeles, California. He plans to continue his study in music either in Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky or Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Ft. Worth, Texas.

When Mrs. James R. West, nee Bobbie Jean Gilbert, youngest daughter of Rev. and Mrs. E.E. Gilbert was a Junior in high school in Lewisville, Texas, she surrendered her life to Christ to be a foreign missionary. After high school and college, she and her husband, Rev. James R. West, a college and seminary graduate were appointed by the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention to serve in South America in the country of Venezuela. Their appointment came through May 6, 1969. Bobbie is a granddaughter of Wid and Mary Gilbert, a great granddaughter of Rev. A.W. and Nancy Gilbert, and a great great granddaughter of Ambrose Barker and Sarah Gilbert.

Another fact to be noted is : none of the Gilberts owned black slaves, that we have any record. The fact is they were opposed to slavery of any race of people and were outspoken in their opposition to slavery. It is true that Ambrose Whitaker Gilbert was a Confederate soldier during the Civil War under the command of General Albert Sidney Johnston, yet the records show that he was fighting for the right of the Southern states to secede from the Union if they wanted to. He was strongly in favor of giving the black slaves their freedom and so stated many times for he believed in the Bible principle "God that made the world and all things therein, and hath made of one blood all nations of men to dwell on all the face of the earth--."

Finally, it is interesting now we were able to arrive at the day of the week of a birth or death. The reason is we have in our possession a calendar that spans 200 years from 1776 to 1976. For example, it is stated in the records that Rev. Ambrose Whitaker Gilbert was born June 3, 1840. We searched this 200 year calendar and found that June 3,1840 was on Wednesday.

Now our little labor of love is about finished except for a brief autobiography of myself and my life's work as a minister of the Gospel of Christ. We will try to complete this for the benefit of our children and grandchildren before the Lord calls us home.

Ernest Earl Gilbert
Medina, Texas
April 10, 1970

This has been recopied by Sharilyn Kay Wilson (Gilbert)

February 15, 2001

Melanie Nolan

From: <SHANDSHA@aol.com>
To: <manolan@mail.esc4.com>
Sent: Friday, August 16, 2002 2:18 PM
Subject: Re: Ambrose Gilbert

Hi

I split these letters up because it would be one very long letter if they were all together. I had been in contact with Mary Tucker at one time but that was a while back. I do not have any of the stuff on Ambrose Barker that you have I never had any for sure names of his children except for Ambrose Whitaker. I do have all of Ambrose Whitaker's children (I think), they had very large families back then!

Ambrose Whitaker Gilbert and Nancy (Boldin or Bolding) Gilbert had 10 kids:

Mary E B. 12/22/1869

Martha A B. 4/28/1871

John C. b. 2/14/1873

William Ambrose b. 4/21/1875

Margaret A b. 4/22/1875

James Washington b. 1/31/1878

Adair J b. 6/17/1880

George Tilmon b. 7/28/1883

Luticia b. 4/23/1888

Ada Jane b. 1889

I don't have any copy of anything on Ambrose B. because I never could find proof of who was who. Rita (has been working on this for years) found I think at one time 2 Ambrose's same census year and around same age but 1 in KY and 1 in AL. That is why I thought there has to be 2 of them that are related, 1st cousins maybe. I never could find enough info one way or another.
I have a 2yr old so most of my research is online, when I find something that looks promising I email or call Rita and she goes over actual records at the library (she is a retired librarian).

My Grandfather was a Baptist preacher, his brother William George Gilbert (Rita's father) was a preacher, William Ambrose their dad was an ordained deacon. Ambrose Whitaker was a preacher and Ambrose Barker was too. My Aunt and Uncle have been missionaries for years now in China, before that they were in Venezuela. My Dad was a deacon in our old church. There was no actual point to that little run down. I have just always thought it was neat and funny. Anyway if you want me to attach all the info to a e-mail let me know. I can print it and mail it as well.

Take care,
Shari

Melanie Nolan

From: <SHANDSHA@aol.com>
To: <manolan@mail.esc4.com>
Sent: Wednesday, August 14, 2002 3:08 PM
Subject: Re: Caroline Barker

Dear Melanie,

I have worked on this for about 3 yrs. now and have not been able to come to a good conclusion. I am so glad you contacted me! It gets a little frustrating just trying to find someone who knows the family line. There is an Ambrose Bourland Gilbert (I think). My cousin and I have been slowly weeding through stuff record by record. I think there are 2 Ambrose Gilbert's born around they same place and time period.

Ambrose Barker Gilbert was my 3rd grt. grandfather. He had a son named Ambrose Whitaker Gilbert. A.W.'s son was William Ambrose Gilbert(Wid). Wid's son Ernest Ead Gilbert and then my dad Max. The name Ambrose Barker was in his son, Ambrose Whitaker's family bible. My grandfather and grt. uncle copied records from it back in the late 60's early 70's (he passed in 71). My grt aunt is still alive and can recall everyone's name and stories and such. We did not know about Caroline Barker until recently and I found reference to her on someone else's family tree linked with Ambrose B.

I have not visited the web page yet, I was so excited to know there are more people out there curious about this!

I have more info, some is documented some is not, but I will send you what ever you think would help.

Take care hope to hear from you soon,

Shari

1853 Guardian Petitions
(1) Wm. W. Gilbert
(2) Mary E. Gilbert
(3) Martha K. Gilbert
(4) Ambrose W. Gilbert b 1840 MS 1870 Colbert Co AL W Nancy (m abt 1866 AL) dau Mary b 1872 AL
(5) Sarah J. Gilbert

(6) ? Calvin Gilbert b 1835 TN (1860 Tippah Co Ms)
(7) James W. Gilbert b 1830 KY (1860 Tish Co MS) next door
(8) ? Hugh C. Gilbert b 1833 TN (1860 Tish Co MS)
Ambrose living w/ James W. (age 20 b TN)

All on 1860 census living Cartersville

Ambrose B. Gilbert age 20-30 (1830 Calloway Co KY)
AB Gilbert age 30-40 (1840 Lincoln Co TN)
John Gilbert age 50-60 (1840 Lincoln Co TN)

Mary Mack Tucker (descendant)
(9) Eliza Ann Gilbert b 26 May 1827 d 18 Aug 1849 MS Alcorn Co MS
m Wm Taylor 7 Dec 1844 (Ambrose married them)
(10) John E Gilbert md Hortense P. Allen 18 Dec 1860 Tish Co MS
(11) Ann E. Gilbert md E U Brock 24 Jan 1854 Tish Co MS

Ambrose Lane on the post.
Ala Dept Archives
Christian Herald
Obit of Ambrose
Vol 2 # 7
Aug 24 1866

Last church was Farmington Baptist just out of Corinth MS.

Melanie Nolan

From: "Melanie Nolan" <manolan@mail.esc4.com>
To: <SHANDSHA@aol.com>
Sent: Wednesday, August 14, 2002 9:04 PM
Subject: Ambrose Gilbert

Here goes. I am sure that your Ambrose B. Gilbert is the one that I have researched as being a son of my Rev. John Gilbert. Here's what I have for children of Ambrose B. Gilbert:

1853 Guardian Petitions in Probate Court of Tishomingo Co., MS, orphans of A.B. Gilbert: (these are for sure children)
William W. Gilbert
Mary E. Gilbert
Martha K. Gilbert
Ambrose W. Gilbert
Sarah J. Gilbert

Also from a correspondant, Mary Mack Tucker:
Eliza Ann Gilbert b 26 May 1827; d 18 Aut 1849 Alcorn Co., MS md Wm. Taylor 7 Dec 1841 in Lauderdale Co., MS (Ambrose married them) and William Taylor was the petitioner for guardianship of above orphans

On Census Records:
(Am pretty sure this is a son of Ambrose B. Gilbert. He was security on guardianship petition for William Taylor. Also he was born in KY and there was an Ambrose B. Gilbert in Calloway Co., KY on the 1830 Census with one son under 5 yrs and one daughter under 5 yrs)
James W. Gilbert b 1830 KY (1860 Tishomingo Co., MS Census

(These two I am not certain were sons of Ambrose B. Gilbert)
Calvin Gilbert b 1835 TN (1860 Tippah Co., MS Census)
Hugh C. Gilbert b 1830 KY (1860 Tishomingo Co., MS Census)

James W. and Hugh C. were both living in Cartersville, MS on the 1860 Census.

In addition there are these two marriages in Tishomingo Co., MS who <u>might be</u> children of Ambrose B. Gilbert (<u>no proof</u>)
John E. Gilbert md Hortense P. Allen 18Dec 1860
Ann E. Gilbert md E.U. Brock 24 Jan 1854

Here are two notes that I made and didn't copy sources:
1. Ambrose lame in one foot
   Alabama Department of Archives
   Christian Herald
   Obit of Ambrose
   Vol 2 #7
   Aug 24, 1866
2. Last church was Farmington Baptist just out of Corinth, MS.

Also, in the probate records for Ambrose B. that I have, a last will and testament is referred to. Do you have a copy of that?

I also have that Ambrose B. married Mary Houston 21 Mar 1847 in Lauderdale Co., AL. So, Sarah Wright must have died

Mary Mack Tucker also has that Ambrose's middle name was Bourland, but she probably got that from Mrs. Hughston also. I sure hope we can prove that it was really Barker.

Well, that's what I have. Will be glad to send copies.

Your Gilbert Cousin,
Melanie

Mary Gilbert
George L. Leonard

FAMILY GROUP No. _____ Husband's Full Name *George L. Leonard*

This Information Obtained From:

Husband's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth	~~Ca~~ 1790-1800				1830 Census
Chr'nd					
Mar.	27 Jul 1826	Lincoln		TN	
Death					
Burial					

Places of Residence

Occupation _____ Church Affiliation _____ Military Rec. _____

Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

His Father _____ Mother's Maiden Name _____

Wife's Full Maiden Name *Mary Gilbert*

Wife's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth	Ca 1808				1830 Census
Chr'nd					
Death					
Burial					

Compiler *Melanie A. Nolan*

Address _____

City, State _____

Date _____

Places of Residence

Occupation if other than Housewife _____ Church Affiliation _____

Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

Her Father *John Gilbert* Mother's Maiden Name _____

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
F	1	Birth	Ca 1827				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
M	2	Birth	Ca 1829				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
M	3	Birth	Ca 1830				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
	4	Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
	5	Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
	6	Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
	7	Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
	8	Birth		1830 Lincoln Co. TN Census			
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.		2 males under 5			
		Death		1 male 5-10			
		Burial		1 male 30-40			
	9	Birth		1 female under 5			
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.		1 female 5-10			
		Death		1 female 10-15			
		Burial		1 female 20-30			
	10	Birth		George Leonard may have been married			
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.		before. At least 4 of these children			
		Death		born before 1826.			
		Burial					

*If married more than once, each mar. (1) (2) etc. and list in "Add. info. on children" column. Use reverse side for additional children, other notes, references or information.

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193		George L Leonard	2	1	0	0	0	1							1	1	1	0	1								

1800-1810

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NOTE: 1840 Census lists living Revolutionary Soldiers, or their widows. An asterisk may be used to indicate one, or "RS", "fc" is used to indicate man of free color.

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FAMILY GROUP No. _____ Husband's Full Name John C. Gilbert

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(1) Chancery Court, Lincoln Co. TN 1840-1844 pp 146-47

(2) Bedford Co. TN Census 1850 & 1860

(3) Cemetery Recd's of Bedford Co. TN by Marsh

(4) Marriages from Early TN Newspapers 1794-1851 by the Rev. Silas Emmett Lucas, Jr.

Husband's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth	Ca 1811				
Chr'nd					
Mar.	20 Jun 1833		Bedford	TN	(4) (5)
Death	1838		Lincoln	TN	(1)
Burial					

Places of Residence

Occupation _____ Church Affiliation _____ Military Rec. _____

Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

His Father Rev. John Gilbert Mother's Maiden Name _____

Wife's Full Maiden Name Rachel Roberts

Wife's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth	7 Mar 1812			TN	(3)
Chr'nd					
Death	1 Aug 1898				(5)
Burial					

Compiler _____

Address _____

City, State _____

Date _____

Places of Residence

Occupation if other than Housewife _____ Church Affiliation _____

Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

Her Father John Roberts Mother's Maiden Name Sarah Smith

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
(1)	1 Sarah Morton Gilbert (1)	Birth	21 Apr 1834		Bedford	TN	(5)
	Full Name of Spouse* William C. Morton	Mar.	18 Jul 1850		Lincoln or Bedford	TN	(5)
		Death	5 May 1901		Lincoln	TN	(5)
		Burial					
(3)	2 Artemisia Gilbert	Birth	1 Dec 1836		Bedford	TN	(3)
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
(5)	3 John C. Gilbert Jr.	Birth	8 Mar 1839			TN	(2) (3)
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death	18 Jan 1863			TN	(3)
		Burial	Richmond Cemetery, Bedford			TN	
(2)	4 Mary Ann Gilbert	Birth	11 Aug 1835	(5)	Bedford	TN	(5)
	Full Name of Spouse* William C. Wagster	Mar.	12 Dec 1852		Lincoln	TN	(5)
		Death	30 Jul 1894		Lincoln	TN	(5)
		Burial					
(4)	5 A. B. Gilbert	Birth	23 Mar 1838		Bedford	TN	(2)
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death		(Must have died before 1850 - not on Census)			
		Burial					
	6	Birth		(50 Year Reservoir Anta of			
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.		John and Elizabeth Simpson)			
		Death		Quilt by Carolyn Reeves			
		Burial		Lucas, 1983			
	7	Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
	8	Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
	9	Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death		1st Ch 1860 B-69			
		Burial		Parents 43			
	10	Birth		Sister 21			
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					

*If married more than once, use No. each mar. (1) (2) etc. and list in "Add. info. on children" column. Use reverse side for additional children, other notes, references or information.

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Morton-Gilbert Family Bible
1829-1919

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Provenance: This is the family Bible of **William C. Morton** and **Sarah M. Gilbert** who were married on **July 18, 1850** at the home of her parents, **John C. Gilbert and Rachael Roberts Gilbert** in Lincoln Co., TN. **William** and **Sarah Morton** were first cousins. **William C. Morton** was the s/o **John Morton** and **Susannah Roberts Morton, the sister of Rachael Roberts Gilbert.**

Patricia West is a great-great-granddaughter of **William and Sarah Gilbert** through their son, **Thomas Roberts Morton**; his daughter **Gertie B. Morton Kirkland**; and her daughter **Alice Kirkland West Chambers**. There was much intermarriage between the **Gilbert**, **Roberts** and **Morton** families.

These families were in Lincoln County, Tennessee by 1800-1810. They settled in Fayetteville, Chestnut Ridge, or Petersburg.

Alice Kirkland West Chambers was given the Bible in the 1950s by Mrs. **Bessie Wagster Redd** of Petersburg, Lincoln Co., TN. The leather cover of this Bible has been replaced and it is in excellent condition. **Lucian "Butch" Winfred West Jr.** of Robertsdale, Alabama has this Bible.

Thomas Roberts Morton and his wife, Alice Eugenia Gilbert Morton, grew up and lived on Chestnut Ridge in Lincoln County, Tennessee. **Thomas and Alice Morton** moved to Meridianville, Madison County, Alabama and then to Huntsville, Madison County, Alabama about 1898. They are buried in the old Huntsville cemetery, Maple Hill Cemetery, with their daughter **Velva T. Morton**, who died as a child. Two of their three surviving daughters, **Gertie B. Morton Kirkland** and **Marchie May Morton Davenport**, were deaf and attended (and boarded during the school year) the Alabama School for the Deaf in Talledega, Alabama, which is the reason the family moved from Tennessee to Alabama. The third surviving daughter, **Arty Lera Kirkland**, never married and lived with her sister Gertie Kirkland in Birmingham, AL and later with Marchie Davenport in Brundige, AL.

Morton-Gilbert Bible, 1829-1919

Vertabim transcript:

Births
Wm Morton was born May 27th 1829
Sarah M. Gilbert was born April 21st 1834
[The following are the seven children of William C. and Sarah Morton:]
John C. Morton was born May 13th 1851
Buenavista Morton was born Sep. 17th 1854
Talitha Cami Morton was born Dec 13 1857
Barachias Morton was born Jan 21st 1859
Zacharias Morton was born May 15 1861
Thomas R. Morton was born Dec 15th 1865
Mary Ann Morton was born Feb 23 1869 **[last of chn. of Wm & Sarah]**
Velva T. Morton was born March 6, 1902 **[d/o T.R. Morton]**
Zacharias Morton & Martha Mortons first son William C.
Morton March 10th 1884
Thomas R. Morton. and. A. E. Mortons first daughter Arty Lera was born September the 20th 1888 **[A.E. Morton was Alice Eugenia Gilbert (nee)]**

Marriages
Zacharias Morton and Martha Bledsoe were married Dec 7th 1882
T.R. Morton and A.E. Gilbert was married nov 20th 1887
B.C. Morton & Mary Sorrells was maried Oct 7th 1890
S.A. Crane & B.V. Morton was maried Dec 26th 1889
E.E. Reece and Mary Crane was maried july th 22 1906
B.D. Morton **[Bessie D.]** was born Nov. 6th 1903 **[g/c of Wm & Sarah]**
Gertie B. Morton & Patrick G. Kirkland were married April 7, 1919
Marchie M. Morton & James Howell Davenport were married November 16, 1919 **[Gertie and Marchie Morton are d/o T.R. Morton]**

Memoranda
Susanah Morton (was born) **[parentheses in original]** June 23d 1807. **[nee Roberts; mother of Wm C. Morton and wife of John Morton]**
Rachel Gilbert March 7th 1812 **[mother of Sarah M. Gilbert Morton and wife of John C. Gilbert;** sister to **Susannah Roberts Morton]**
Rachel Gilbert Died Aug the 1 1898
Artamacy Robberts **[misspelled in original]** was born Oct. 18th 1814
Artamacy Roberts died april the 3th 1882
John Morton Was born Oct 9th 1806 **[father of Wm C. Morton]**
John Morton died May 23th 1879
Susanah Morton died Sep 30th 1891 **[nee Roberts; mother of Wm C. Morton]**
[The six following are grandchildren of Wm C. & Sarah Morton:]
Mary Crane was born Nov 16 1890 **[d/o Buenavista Morton Crane]**
Cordie L. Crane was born Oct 16 1891 **[d/o Buenavista Morton Crane]**
Eddie Crane was borne Mar 4 1893 **[d/o Buenavista Morton Crane]**

Arty Lera Morton was born Sept. 20 1888 **[d/o T.R. Morton]**
Marchie M. Morton was born March 13 1890 **[d/o T.R. Morton]**
Gertie B. Morton was born Jan 9, 1892 **[d/o T.R. Morton]**

Deaths

T.R. Morton died March the 13th 1907
Z.S. Morton died March the 16th 1907
[Transcriber's note: These two brothers died within days and inadvertently caused hard feelings for some time among their families. Both widows, T.R.'s in Alabama and Z.S.'s in Tennessee, were angry that the brothers didn't attend each other's funerals.]
John C. Morton died Feb 19th 1855 **[s/o Wm. C. & Sarah Morton]:**
B.V. Crane died Jan 11th 1909 **[d/o Wm. C. & Sarah Morton]:**
Talitha Cami Morton died Jan 26th 1858 **[d/o Wm. C. & Sarah Morton]**
Edgar Crane died Oct. 4, 1893
Mary Reese died Feb. 4th 1910
Velva T. Morton died Feb. 10, 1911 **[d/o T.R. Morton]**
William Morton died July 24, 1911 **[husband of Sarah M. Gilbert Morton]**
M.R. Morton died June 19th 1898
William C. Morton died July 30th 1884
Sarah M. Morton died May 5, 1901 **[wife of William C. Morton]**
John Morton died March 26 1914

MARRIAGES.

[illegible] Gilbert was married [illegible] The 11 1835

[illegible] Gilbert married [illegible] 1831

[illegible] B Gilbert was married March The 23 1833

[illegible] Gilbert married March the 8 1839

MARRIAGES.

[illegible] Robert married [illegible] September [illegible] 1828

[illegible] was married [illegible] in the year 1832

[illegible] was born December 18 in the year 1829

[illegible] Gilbert was born April the 21 1841

FAMILY RECORD

BIRTHS.

[illegible] Roberts was
[illegible] the 1[illegible] 1796

[illegible] Roberts was
born October the 4th 1798

William Roberts was
born October the 19th 1796

John Roberts was born
December the 25th 1798

[illegible] Roberts was born
November the 27th 1800

Nancy Roberts was born
December the 27th 1802

[illegible] Roberts was
born February the 19th 1805

Hannah Roberts was
born [illegible] 23 1807

BIRTHS.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

FAMILY RECORD.

DEATHS.

Newel Englesway
born February 15th
1826

Selby Moore was
born April 25th
1826.

John Foster was born
September the 22nd
[illegible]

[illegible] Moore was
born July [illegible]

[illegible]

DEATHS.

[illegible] Gilbert
[illegible]
August [illegible] 1898
died [illegible] 25

FAMILY RECORD

DEATHS

1815

1811

Tilman Ingram
Born May the 2
day
Born July the
8th on the year
1821
Henry Wade
Born January
the 21st Month
year 1828

William H. Wade
Died December
22 in the year

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"**R.A. Wagster**, of Chestnut Ridge, **[Lincoln Co., Tenn.]** has an heirloom in his family that is highly cherished. It is an old bible. It was first purchased by his great great grandfather, **Jack Smith**, who in turn handed it down to **Rason Smith**, who in turn handed it down to his **[I believe "his" refers to R.A. Wagster]** great grandmother, **Sarah Roberts**. She left it to her daughter, **Rachael Gilbert**, who gave it to Mr. Wagster for safe keeping. Mrs. Gilbert, Mr. Wagster's grandmother **[Rachael Roberts Gilbert, who died 2 Aug. 1898]** is a very old lady, now living near Chestnut Ridge, and delivered this book to her grandson, knowing it would be properly preserved by him and kept in the family as a reminded to the rising generation of the love for the book by their ancestors." [Undated, but it must be before 1898 when Mrs. Gilbert died.]

The Bible fragment consists of pages 581-1080 and pages 1-25 of the Psalms of David in Metre. The Bible is in fragile condition, with only a leather binding on the spine. The pages are still flexible and sturdy. The Bible is being professionally restored--de-acidified, cleaned, and stored in an archival phase box for preservation.

Mr. R. A. Wagster's daughter, **Bessie Wagster Redd** of Petersburg, Tenn., gave the Bible to **Alice Kirkland West Chambers** in the 1950s, along with a **Gilbert-Morton** family Bible belonging to **William C. Morton and Sarah M. Gilbert**. Alice Chambers gave the Bible to her daughter **Patricia Ann West**.

The families represented in this Bible lived in Bedford County, Tennessee and Lincoln Co., Tennessee.

Alice Kirkland West Chamber's maternal grandparents, **Thomas Roberts Morton and Alice Eugenia Gilbert Morton** were close blood relatives. Both are direct descendants of both these Gilberts and these Roberts. Among their eight grandparents, two **Roberts** sisters, **Rachael and Lucretia**, married two **Gilbert** brothers, respectively, **John C. Gilbert and Doctor A. Gilbert**. A third **Roberts** sister, **Susannah**, married **William C. Morton**. All lived in Lincoln Co., TN.

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(page 677 continued)
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Juten or Justen (?) Roberts was borne November 29th 1800
Nancy Roberts was born December the 23-1802 **[m. John Littleton Foster]**
Reason Roberts was born february the 19th-1805
Susannah Roberts was born june 23-1807 **[m. John C. Morton]**
Sarah L. Roberts was born february the 18-1810
Rachael Roberts was born March the 7-1812 **[m. John C. Gilbert]**
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Identification of people listed in clipping: John "Jack" Smith (b 1752 VA & d 1816 Bedford Co, TN), s/o William and Jean (___) Smith, Sr. married Elizabeth ?Simpson (b ca1750 & d 1816 Bedford Co., TN). They were in North Carolina in 1774 and moved to Pendleton District, SC before 1792. They then moved to Bedford Co., TN before 1810 (see Deed Book C, p. 556, Bedford Co.). They had 9 children, including 1) Rezin/Reson/Resin Smith (b 1781 in NC & d 1851 in Bedford Co.). He m1 Amelia Medlin & m2 Sarah Olds; and 2) Sarah Smith (b 1774 in NC & d Bedford Co) m John Roberts Sr. (b ca 1765 VA & d after 1850 Bedford Co, TN). John Smith, Elizabeth ?Simpson Smith, and their son, John Smith Jr. died within days of each other in 1816, probably of the cold augue, a virulent flu.

John Roberts & Sarah Smith had 12 children listed in this Bible and were said by later family members to have had 16 children. Their daughter, Rachael (1812 GA & d 1898 Bedford Co.) m John C. Gilbert on 20 Jun 1833 in Bedford Co. He (b ca1810 & d before 1850 Bedford Co.) was s/o the Rev. John Gilbert and Sarah Grace "Sallie" Bourland, who were early settlers in middle Tennessee. Rev. Gilbert was a Baptist misister at Mr. Olive Baptist Church.

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Information about these families comes from my research, and that of Bessie Morton Spencer of Nashville, TN; John A. Foster of Winchester, TN; and Carolyn (Mrs. Joe) Ericson of Nacogdoches, TX. Mrs. Morton, Mr. Foster, me and Mrs. Ericsons' husband are descendants of John Smith Sr. and Elizabeth ?Simpson. Mrs. Ericson has produced a book, A Few Descendants of John and Elizabeth Simpson Smith, of all known Smith descendants. It may be ordered from her at 1614 Redbud Street, Nacogdoches, TX 75961-2926.

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[the following 2 Roberts may be siblings to the 12 Roberts sibs on page 678, but no proof, as yet]
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Nancy Roberts was born December the 23-1802 [m. James Littleton Foster in Nov 1820]
Reason Roberts was born february the 19th-1805 [also spelled Rezin]
Susannah Roberts was born june 23-1807 [m. John C. Morton]
Sarah L. Roberts was born february the 18-1810
Rachael Roberts was born March the 7-1812 [m. John C. Gilbert]
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Sarah Foster was born March the 25 in the year 1824
Jack? or John? Foster was borne September the 24 1825

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Mibndy? [possibly Malindy] Ingland bornd March 7th---1815
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Tilman Ingland was bornd may the 20th 1819
Martin England was borned July the 8th in the year 1821
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Deaths
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John Smith diseasd March _____ [Cemetery record of John Smith Sr. shows his death as
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Elizabeth Smith diseasd on the 6 [?] day of March 1815 [see note above]
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Page 19 - David Wagster guardian of Mary B. Thogmorton, a minor heir of Robert Thogmorton, deceased.

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Page 20 - Commissioners to lay off support of widow and family of Willis Baucom, deceased.

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Page 21 - Commissioners to lay off support for widow and family of Frederick Shofner, deceased.

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Page 22 - Barnet Stephens appointed admr. of Erwin Stephens, deceased.

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Page 24 - James H. Graham exr. of estate of Lawson Harris, deceased.

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Page 25 - Jane Russell failed to renew guardianship of minor heirs of James Russell, deceased.

Page 25 - Joseph R. McKinley failed to renew guardianship of minor heirs of Joseph L. Word, deceased.

Page 25 - Daniel Stephens failed to renew guardianship of Henry Meadows.

1848 December Term

Page 27 - Robert Allison guardian of minor heirs of George W. Nash.

Page 27 - Hezekiah Bennett applied in Court that Robert C. Daniel be appointed guardian of minor heirs of William Bennett, deceased.

Page 27 - Edmund Word renewed guardianship of William and Mary Jane Hastings.

Page 28 - Paschal Brown guardian of Robert A. Brown.

Page 28 - Herbert Smith applied to Court that he be guardian of Sarah Elizabeth Smith, minor heir of Thomas Smith, deceased.

Page 28 - N. P. Modrell appointed guardian of Harriett, Levina, Charles, Nelson and Elizabeth Harris, minor heirs of Alsey Harris, deceased.

Page 28 - William J. Hill guardian of James W. Hill and William C. Hill.

Page 28 - Amzi D. Anderson appointed guardian of Eliza Jane Gambill, a lunatic.

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Fulton for Complts

Washington A Gilbert & others
Bill
For sale of real estate

Be it remembered that on the day of 1841, the following bill was filed in the Office of the Clerk & Master of the Chancery Court for the County of Lincoln, to wit. To the Honble L. M. Brantley Chancellor &c.

Your Oratrix Rachel Gilbert and your Orator and Oratrixes Sally M. Morgan, Artimisa & John B. Gilbert infants under the age of twenty one years who sue by their guardian & next friend Washington A. Gilbert, all citizens of Lincoln County, Tennessee, shew unto your honor, that John B. Gilbert departed this life intestate in said County in the year 1838, leaving your Oratrix Rachel Gilbert his widow, and your Oratrix & your Oratrixes & Orator Sally M. Morgan, Artamisa & John B. Gilbert his children and legal representatives. Complainants further state that your Complainant Washington A. Gilbert was appointed administrator of the estate of said John B. Gilbert by the County Court of Lincoln County at the November 1838 and took upon himself the administration of said estate. Complainant further state, that at the August term of the County Court of Lincoln County in the year 1840, Complainant Washington A. Gilbert was appointed

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guardian for Complts Sally A. Morgan, Attorney v. John B. Gillett — Complts State that John B. Gillett died seized and possessed of the following described tracts of land, situated in said County of Lincoln on the West fork of Mulberry creek the first bounded as follows, to wit, Beginning at a black oak ten poles West of the South West corner of a fifty acre entry in the name of William R. Marrow running from thence South seventy eight poles to a sugar tree, thence East one hundred & two poles & one seventh of a pole to a black, thence North 78 poles to a stake, on the South boundary line of said fifty acre, thence West one hundred and two and one seventh poles to the beginning, said tract containing fifty acres more or less. The second tract containing by estimation eighty acres, is bounded as follows, to wit, Beginning at a sugar tree & black gum, being the Northwest corner of a hundred acre tract owned Newton Wilkerson formerly fired, running thence east to the ridge thence South and Southwest with the North boundary line of a fifty acre tract entered in the name of John Smith, thence West to the corner of said tract thence North to the beginning, which two tracts makes one hundred & thirty acres to be divided between your five Complts, which would give to each one 26 acres a quantity too small to make a farm, Complts state that it would be manifestly to the advantage of the heirs and Legatees to have the before described land sold. Complts state that there are no buildings never failing springs on said land, that said land is so situated that the same cannot be divided equally amongst the heirs and legatees —

The premises considered the Complts pray that your honor may grant them a decree to sell said land, and such other and further relief as Complts in Equity and good conscience is entitled to — Complts further states that the before described land is broken and worth very much —

The heirs of John Townsend
Bill
For sale of real estate.

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"To the Honorable Lemuel W. Brunson Esq. of the Chancery Division of the State of Tennessee, sitting at Fayetteville. Your Complainants John Wafford citizen of Sumter County State of Alabama guardian of Clarinda and John M. Dougan and citizens of Lincoln County Tennessee, infants under the age of twenty one years and John B. Tucker and Nancy A. Tucker his wife citizens of said County of Lincoln humbly complaining show unto your honor

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FAMILY SHEET

Footnoting: To substantiate the information recorded on this page, please use the space below. Use only one footnote for each source cited.

Name of Subject: Malcom G McNatt

Subject's Data	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State
Birth						Penn
Mar.					Berry	Penn
Death						
Present Address (or) Place of Burial						

Occupation | Church Affiliation | Military Rec.

Father | Mother

Check here if there was another marriage: By Husband ☐ By Wife ☐ Was this couple divorced? Yes ☐ No ☐

Name of Spouse: Onea L. Gilbert

Spouse's Data	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State
Birth						Penn
Death						
Present Address (or) Place of Burial						

Occupation | Church Affiliation | Military Rec.

Father: Rev. John Gilbert | Mother

Children's Names in Full (Arrange in Order of Birth)		Children's Data	Day	Month	Year	Town	County	State
Malinda C	1.	Birth						
Full Name of Spouse		Mar.						
		Death						
Gilbert M.	2.	Birth						
Full Name of Spouse		Mar.						
		Death						
William C	3.	Birth						
Full Name of Spouse		Mar.						
		Death						
	4.	Birth						
Full Name of Spouse		Mar.						
		Death						
	5.	Birth						
Full Name of Spouse		Mar.						
		Death						
	6.	Birth						
Full Name of Spouse		Mar.						
		Death						
	7.	Birth						
Full Name of Spouse		Mar.						
		Death						

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Check here if there are additional children ☐
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Washington A. Gilbert
Sarah Eliz. Oliver

FAMILY GROUP No. _____ Husband's Full Name Washington Alonzo Gilbert

This Information Obtained From: 1. Alabama Records Lauderdale Co. by Lauderdale, AL 237 p. 3

(2) Biographies in Hartford Memories p. 791-792

(3) Various records Lauderdale Co. Lauderdale AL 232, 262

(4) Alabama Records Colbert Co. by Lauderdale Vol 56 p. 22

Husband's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth	28 Sep 1847			NC	0 SC (2)
Chr'nd					
Mar.	13 Jan 1872	Lauderdale		AL	(1)
Death	30 Nov 1874			AL	
Burial	Winston Fam. Cem. Lauderdale Co. Colbert			AL	

Places of Residence

Occupation Merchant Church Affiliation Baptist Military Rec.

Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar. Mason - Blue Lodge Shriner

His Father Rev. John Gilbert Mother's Maiden Name

Wife's Full Maiden Name Sarah Elizabeth Brown

Wife's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth	27 Feb 1823	Jamison Valley			(2)
Chr'nd					
Death	22 Oct 1878	Colbert		AL	(3) 4 children living
Burial					

Compiler Melanie Nolan

Address

City, State

Date June 1993

Places of Residence

Occupation if other than Housewife Church Affiliation 6 Apr 1791 Baptist

Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

Her Father William Brown (1) Mother's Maiden Name Lucinda Brown

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
1	Albert Alexdr. Gilbert (4) (2)	Birth	28 Sep 1847				0 SC
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death	30 Nov 1874	Colbert		AL	
		Burial					
2	Alonzo M. Gilbert (2)	Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
3	Joseph Eaton Gilbert (2)	Birth	25 Dec 1854	Kearsville	Lauderdale	AL	(3)
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.	20 Nov 1879				(4)
	Margaret Warren (4)	Death	13 Jul 1945	Dallas		TX	(4)
		Burial					
4	Henry C. Gilbert (2)	Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
5	Daniel W. Gilbert (2)	Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
6	J. W. Gilbert M.D. (2)	Birth	1845	Lauderdale		AL	(2)
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
	Married 3 times	Death					
		Burial					
7		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
8		Birth		(4) Pioneers Hist. Dall.			
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.		1936 p. 33			
		Death					
		Burial					
9		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
10		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					

twins

Civil War

*If married more than once, No. each mar. (1) (2) etc. and list in "Add. info. on children" column. Use reverse side for additional children, other notes, references or information.

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Ref. (2)

J. W. Gilbert, M.D. married:

(1) 1866 Laura Harris dau Wm. and Mary (Stewart) Harris she died few months after marriage

(2) 1870 Naomi Harris, sister of Laura. Issue:

Minnie m. H. B. Cobb

Edward m Miss McPherson

Naomi died 1 Jan 1880

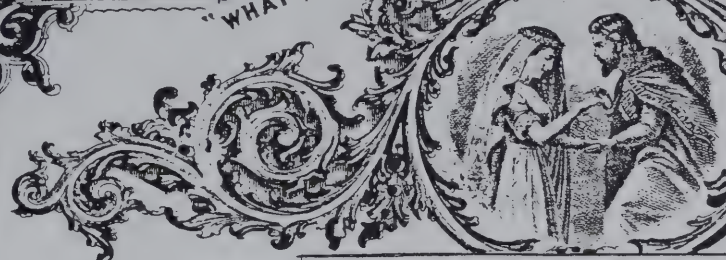
(3) Ella Anthony dau Dr. J. A. Anthony of Terrell, TX, b. in Tenn. Issue:

Cecile

James H.

Dr J. W. Gilbert practiced medicine in Tuscumbia, AL after graduating from Bellevue Medical College in New York City. In Jan. 1878 he moved to Verona, MS. Was member of Knights of Honor and Masons. Baptist and democrat.

"WHAT GOD HATH JOINED TOGETHER LET NOT MAN PUT ASUNDER."



CERTIFICATE.

This Certifies

THAT THE RITE OF

HOLY MATRIMONY

WAS CELEBRATED BETWEEN

W. A. Gilbert of Tennessee

and S. E. Oliver of Alabama

on 13th Jan 1842 at Rodgersville

by Rev Jesse Seal

Witness { Albert Oliver
Jas D Cannon

BIRTHS.

Washington Alexander Gilbert, Son of John and Sallie Gilbert; Born A.D. Sept. 28th, 1814.

Sarah Elizabeth Gilbert, daughter of William and Sarah Oliver; Born Feby 2d, A.D. 1823.

William Bourland Gilbert Son of Washington A. & Sarah E. Born 30th Jan. A.D. 1845

James Washington Gilbert Son of Washington A & Sarah E. Born 9th July A.D. 1845.

Albert Alexander, Son of W. A and S.E. Gilbert, Born 28th Sept. 1847.

A. Jackson, Son of W. A and S.E. Gilbert Born 8th Dec. 1849.

Joseph Eaton, Son of W. A. Gilbert and S. E. Gilbert, Born A.D. 25th Dec. 1854

Daniel Webster & Henry Clay, Twin Sons of W. A & S. E. Gilbert, Born A.D. Dec. 13th 1857.

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MARRIAGES.

Dr. J. W. Gilbert to Miss Laura Harris (dec'd) & Miss Naomi Harris his first wife's sister (now dec'd) and to Miss Ella Anthony

A. J. Gilbert to Miss Alice Hayley

J. E. Gilbert to Miss Maggie Warren

H. C. Gilbert to Miss Lucy C. Pride 12-13-95

W. W. Gilbert to Miss Lucy Chapman

Births to H. C. & L. H. Gilbert

Oct. 27th A.D. 1884, Hermann Harper Gilbert.

Apr. 30, A.D. 1887, Sarah Pride Gilbert.

Sept. 30, A.D. 1889, James Barrett Gilbert.

Nov. 22, A.D. 1895, Henry Morgan Gilbert,

Dec. 17, A.D. 1899, Lucy Harper Gilbert,

Marriages

June 7, 1916, Sarah P. Gilbert to M. D. Ingram

Oct. 12, 1920, Henry Morgan Gilbert to Eva Ar

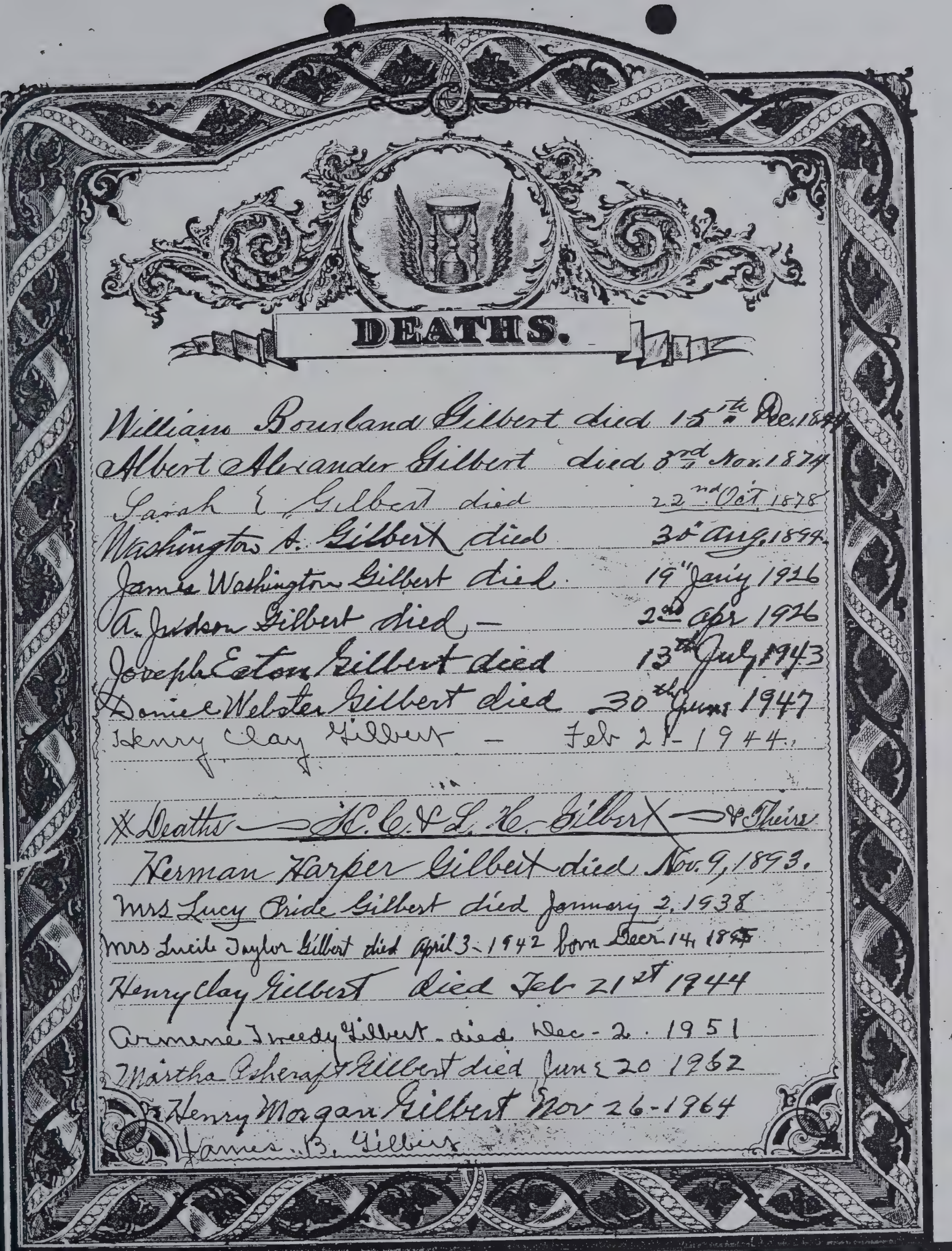
Apr 22, 1922, James B. Gilbert to Lucille Taylor Died 4-15-11

Apr 20, 1926 Lucy Harper Gilbert to Roy A. Wagstaff

Nov 14-1952 James B. Gilbert to Marsha Ashcraft

Gilbert-Scholars

Mrs. Armene Tweedy Scholars and Mr. James Barnett Gilbert announce their marriage on Saturday, June 5, 1943, Birmingham, Ala. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert are at home



DEATHS.

William Bourland Gilbert died 15th Dec. 1844
Albert Alexander Gilbert died 8rd Nov. 1874
Sarah E. Gilbert died 22nd Oct. 1878
Washington A. Gilbert died 30 Aug. 1894
James Washington Gilbert died 19th Jany 1926
A. Judson Gilbert died — 2d Apr 1926
Joseph Eaton Gilbert died 13th July 1943
Daniel Webster Gilbert died 30th June 1947
Henry Clay Gilbert — Feb 21 - 1944.

* Deaths — H. C. & L. H. Gilbert — & Theirs
Herman Harper Gilbert died Nov. 9, 1893.
Mrs Lucy Pride Gilbert died January 2, 1938
Mrs Lucile Taylor Gilbert died April 3 - 1942 born Decr 14, 1875
Henry Clay Gilbert died Feb 21st 1944
Armene Tweedy Gilbert died Dec - 2 . 1951
Martha Osherof Gilbert died June 20 1962
Henry Morgan Gilbert Nov 26 - 1964
James B. Gilbert

LITTREL, FIELDEN *(51 K)* to LUCY WOOD *(37 T)* *(LOUISA in Census)*; License issued March 8, 1842; Solemnized March 8, 1842 by THOMAS STONE, J.P.; Recorded May 19, 1842; page 8

GILBERT, W.*(WASHINGTON)* A. *(33 N.C.)* to SARAH E.*(ELIZABETH)* OLVIER *(27 A)* *(WILLIAM & SARAH MARY (HOWARD): ancester of Mrs. RICHARD L. HUGHSTON, 1971)*; License dated Jan. 3, 1842; Solemnized Jan. 13, 1842 by J. SEALE, M.G.; Recorded May 19, 1842; page 9

MATTHEWS, WILLIAM to PHOEBY TALLEY; License dated Jan. 4, 1842; Solemnized the 11th; J. L. FIELDER, J.P.; Recorded May 19, 1842; page 9

NEAL, THOMAS A. to ELIZABETH BROWN; License dated Dec. 30, 1841; Solemnized Dec. 30, 1841 by T. M. PHILLIPS, J.P.; page 10

RHODES, WILLIAM *(36 N.C.)* to CAROLINE DAVID *(27 A)*; License dated Jan. 5, 1842; Solemnized Jan. 6, 1842 by T. M. PHILLIPS, J.P.; page 10

TROBOUGH, JESSE to LOUCINDA A. RHEA; License dated Dec. 14, 1841; Solemnized Dec. 14, 1841 by H. RICHARDSON, J.P.; page 11

CURTAIN, LEWIS B. to ELIZABETH HILL; License dated Dec. 7, 1841; no return shown; page 11

SANDS, SAMUEL C. to MAHALA BETTERTON; License dated Jan. 12, 1842; Iolemnized Jan. 13, 1842 by D. W. HOUSE, J.P.; Recorded May 19, 1842; page 12

GLASCO, GEORGE H. to ELIZABETH M. ARMOUR; License dated Jan. 3, 1842; Solemnized Jan. 6, 1842 by THOMAS STONE, J.P.; Recorded May 19, 1842; page 12

TAYLOR, WILLIAM to ELIZA ANN GILBERT; License issued Dec. 6, 1843; Solemnized Dec. 7, 1843 by A. B. GILBERT; page 181

ASKEW, MURREL *(35 T)* to ELIZA WRIGHT *(32 A: NICHOLAS)*; License issued March 3, 1845; Solemnized, with names repeated in return, 9th March, 1845 by C. B. JONES, J.P.; page 181

BLACK, WILLIAM to MARTHA O. WILLIAMS; License issued March 15, 1854; Solemnized March 19, 1845 by W. B. WOOD, Judge, Lauderdale Cty. Ct. Ala.; page 182

BURNS, BENJAMIN to FRANCIS E. BURNS; License issued Aug. 5, 1844; Solemnized Aug. 8, 1844 by A. B. GILBERT, M.G.; page 182

WILLETT, ZEDEKIAH *(36 T)* to MARY E. RICE *(23 A: daughter of MANSON)* License issued Jan. 3, 1845; Solemnized Jan. 11, 1845 by A. B. GILBERT: page 182

PEDIGO, JOSHUA to SARAH HINDMAN; License issued Aug. 7, 1845; Solemnized Aug. 7, 1845 by JOHN M. HERSTON, J.P.; page 183

SARGENT, JOSEPH to JANE CAMPBELL; License issued Feb. 20, 1845; Solemnized Feb. 20, 1845 by JOSEPH GARRETT; Page 183

DUKES, JEFFERSON, to SUSAN BARNETT; License issued Aug. 11, 1844; Solemnized Aug. 12, 1845 by JOHN M. HERSTON, J.P.; page 183

PORTER, ANDREW E. *(27 S.C.)* to FRANCIS A. DAVIS *(28 A)*; License issued June 5, 1845; Solemnized June 5, 1845 by W. R. PORTER, J.P.; page 184

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GIBSON

Mary BA 1829 d-of John W. & Martha L. Gibson. M-Richard B. Sessions.
O. A. BB 1855-65 s-of William W. & Mary K. (Rogers) Gibson.
Rebecca BA 1818 in Miss. Married David Sexton.
Stella W. BA 1840 d-of Tobias Gibson. M-Dr. R. L. Dunn.
Susan BA 1787. Married Isaac Parker.
S. W. BB 1855-65 s-of William W. & Mary K. (Rogers) Gibson.
Thomas BA 1826 - of Texas. M-Mary A. Feemster. DP 1891.
Tobias BA 1810 - of Natchez, Miss.
Walter B. BB 1880-90 s-of Charles W. & Alice H. (Beasly) Gibson.
William T. BA 1870 s-of J.G.W. & Mary J. (Milford) Gibson. DP 1891.
William W. B-in Vt. about 1825. M-Mary K. Rogers. Moved to Miss. about 1830. Died in 1876.
William W. BA 1806. Believed to have been born in Ala. M-Anna Burdine.
____ (Mr.) BA 1822. Married Elizabeth A. Box.
____ (Mr.) BA 1848. M-Katie O'Connell.
____ (Miss) BA 1858 d-of William W. & Mary K. (Rogers) Gibson. M-Mr. Stevens.
____ (Miss) BA 1855 d-of William W. & Mary K. (Rogers) Gibson. M-Mr. Joiner.

GILBERT

Adoniram J. BB 1844-54 s-of W. A. & Sarah E. (Oliver) Gilbert.
Albert A. BB 1844-54 s-of W. A. & Sarah E. (Oliver) Gilbert.
Cecile BB 1880-85 d-of Dr. J. W. & Ella (Anthony) Gilbert.
Daniel W. BB 1844-54 s-of W. A. & Sarah E. (Oliver) Gilbert.
Edward BA 1871 s-of Dr. J. W. & Naomi (Harris) Gilbert. M-Miss McPherson.
Henry C. BB 1844-54 s-of W. A. & Sarah E. (Oliver) Gilbert.
James A. BB 1880-85 s-of Dr. J. W. & Ella (Anthony) Gilbert.
John BA 1784 - father of W. A. Gilbert.
Joseph E. BB 1844-54 s-of W. A. & Sarah E. (Oliver) Gilbert.
J. W. (Dr.) B-in Lauderdale Co. Ala. in 1845 s-of W. A. & Sarah E. (Oliver) Gilbert. In Civil War. Physician - practiced in Tuscumbia, Ala. for a number of years. In 1878 moved to Verona , Miss. M-(1) Laura Harris in 1866; (2) her sister, Naomi Harris in 1870; (3) Ella Anthony. Lee Co. Miss. in 1891.
Minnie BA 1872 d-of Dr. J. W. & Naomi (Harris) Gilbert. M- H. B. Cobb.
Thomas BA 1875 s-of Dr. J. W. & Naomi (Harris) Gilbert.
W. A. B-in S.C. in 1814 s-of John Gilbert. Merchant. M-Sarah E. Oliver.

GILBERTH

Catherine BA 1800. Married John F. Saunders.

GILCHRIST

Flora BA 1785 in N. C. Married Dugald Torrey.
Malcomb BA 1801 - one of the pioneers of Jeff. Co. In Miss. Leg. (His family were originally from N.C.)
Mary BA 1828 d-of Malcomb Gilchrist. M-E. H. Coleman.

GILES

Charity BA 1725. Married Nathaniel Giles.
Jacob B-July 27, 1799 in N.C. s-of John Giles. Moved to Miss. in 1835. M-Nancy L. Harrison. Died April 22, 1860.
John B-Aug. 29, 1750 s-of Nathaniel & Charity Giles.
Lucinda BA 1801 in N.C. Maiden name NA. Married William Giles.
Margaret J. B-1826 d-of William & Lucinda Giles. M-Anderson B. Fly. Lived in Lafayette Co. Miss. Died in 1879.
Maria C. B-Feb. 20, 1859 d-of Simmons H. & Maria F. (Jones) Giles. M-Shepherd S. Neville.
Nathaniel BA 1720. Married Charity Giles.
Sarah BA 1828 d-of William & Lucinda Giles. M-Mr. Spears.
Simmons H. B-in N.C. in 1827 s-of Jacob & Nancy L. (Harrison) Giles. Moved to Kemper Co. Miss. in 1835. M-Maria F. Jones in 1854.In Civil War. D-1870.

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ge company of one hundred and four with
ostilities only three men—B. A. McGaughey,
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nd William T. (deceased). His wife died in
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ibson owned one-half interest in a large saw-
carried on. In 1887 he bought his partner's
ery to Benton county, where he now has a mill
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tion with his sawmill he owns and operates a
mills is valued at about $3,000. He employs
of cattle, which he uses in his log and lumber
nd fifty acres of land, mostly heavily timbered,
houses and a large commissary building on his
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essities of life without going to a distance to
and what he possesses was acquired by indus-
world with nothing and toiled under discourag-
brave spirit that has won for him the success he
dabble in politics, and never had any political
welfare is deep and abiding. He is a member
nd has been a liberal contributor to all public
schools and churches.

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as born in the county in which he is now resid-
rn to J. M. and Eliza C. (Stevens) Gibson, the
of South Carolina. The paternal ancestors
coming from North Carolina in 1776. The
born in Adams county, Mississippi, and was
that county, but afterwards removed to Warren
l dying soon after. His son, James M. Gibson,
active and prosperous planter, and in his politi-
three times and was the father of twelve chil-
of his sons were soldiers in the Confederate
years of age. They all served throughout the
de, died in Texas in 1887. The father died in
ty, his wife passing from life in 1874, a member
g been a member of the Methodist Episcopal
en county J. M. Gibson, whose name heads this
ractical knowledge of the world of books. In
of St. Louis, but the following year he returned
1879, he was admitted to the bar and at once
that year he was elected to the state legislature

from Warren county and served with distinction and to the satisfaction of all concerned for two terms, leaving behind him a record of faithfulness, ability and carefully performed duty. After the close of his legislative career he formed a law partnership with Judge A. W. Brien, which was one of the ablest law firms of the county, until the death of Mr. Brien in 1885. In 1889 Mr. Gibson became associated in the practice of his profession with Joe D. Bien, they now constituting a very strong legal firm. In 1887 Mr. Gibson was elected to the office of prosecuting attorney and has proved the right man in the right place. He is a conscientious student and is earnest and painstaking in the preparation of his cases, his clients' interests never being neglected. He is decidedly literary in his tastes and has contributed both prose and poetry of much merit to the popular journals and magazines of the day. As a lawyer he has made a fine record for himself, and his section will undoubtedly have further use for him in future days. He is very social in his tastes and is at all times a courteous and polished gentleman in his business relations as well as in society and by his own fireside. He is a member of the A. F. & A. M., the K. of P. and the Elks. He was married in 1884 to Mrs. M. E. (Mower) Spears, a native of the state of Mississippi.

Dr. J. W. Gilbert, physician and surgeon, Verona, Miss., has been identified with the medical profession of Lee county since 1878, and is entitled to mention in this record of the leading men of the state of Mississippi. He was born in Lauderdale county, Ala., in 1845, and is a son of W. A. and Sarah E. (Oliver) Gilbert. The father was a native of South Carolina, born in 1814, and was a member of one of the leading families of the state. He was a merchant by occupation, and politically affiliated with the whig party, but was opposed to the Civil war; however, he espoused the Southern cause. He was a son of John Gilbert. He was a member of the Baptist church, and a member of both the Blue lodge and chapter of the Masonic fraternity. His wife was born in Alabama in 1824, and was a daughter of William Oliver; she died of yellow fever in 1878. They reared a family of six sons: Albert A., Adoniram J., Joseph E.; twins, Henry C. and Daniel W.; and J. W., who is the subject of this notice. Dr. Gilbert's early life was spent in Lawrence county, Ala., where he attended the common schools and acquired his elementary education. In 1862, at the age of sixteen years, he enlisted in company G, Fourth Alabama cavalry, and saw much active service, being engaged a large part of the time as a scout in the enemy's rear. At Selma, just before the close of the war, most of his command were captured, but he succeeded in escaping. When hostilities ceased, and he turned his attention to the pursuits of civilization, he took up the study of medicine under Calvin A. Crow, an old practitioner of Moulton, Ala., and ex-vice-president of the State association. In 1868 he attended lectures at Louisville, Ky., and in 1870 he was graduated from Bellevue Medical college, New York city. He then located at Tuscumbia, Ala., where he practiced some years. He was secretary of the North Alabama Medical association for four years, and served as president of the same body for one year. In January, 1878, he removed to Verona, Miss., and soon established himself in a fine practice. He is personally well suited to the profession he has chosen, and he has given himself the benefit of all the opportunities available in this country. He is a very popular man, both in his profession and out of it, and has a host of friends and admirers. He is a member of the Knights of Honor, and of the Masonic order. He has been a member of the Baptist church since 1859, and in his political opinions he is a democrat. The doctor was married in 1866 to Miss Laura Harris, a daughter of William and Nancy (Stovall) Harris; she died within a few months after her marriage. He was married again in 1870, to Naomi Harris, a sister to his first wife. Three children were born of this union: Minnie, Edward and Thomas. Minnie married H. B. Cobb, and Edward married a Miss McPherson. Dr. Gilbert lost the

mother of these children January 1, 1880, and his third union was to Miss Ella Anthony, a daughter of Dr. J. A. Anthony, of Terrell, Texas. She is a native of Tennessee, and was educated in Nashville, Tenn., by Dr. Fanning, her mother dying during her childhood. Two children have been born of this marriage: Cecile and James A. The subject of this notice is president of the Lee County Medical society and a member of the Mississippi State Medical association.

Judge J. D. Gilland, judge of the ninth circuit court district of Mississippi, was born in South Carolina in 1849, the fourth in a family of six children born to Rev. J. R. and Mary C. (Gibbes) Gilland, the former a Presbyterian minister and a teacher by calling, being a professor of mathematics in Davidson college, North Carolina, having also taught in many other places. In 1871 he came to Mississippi, and for several years preached the gospel in Hinds county, but died in South Carolina in 1877, his widow still surviving him. The paternal grandfather, Thomas Gilland, was born in Ireland, but came to the United States and settled near Chambersburg, Pa., where the rest of his days were spent, and where his son, Rev. J. R. Gilland, was born and reared, his education being received in Jefferson college. The mother's people were descended from Robert Gibbes, a colonial governor of South Carolina, and the maternal grandfather, Wilmot S. Gibbes, was a physician of considerable note in Chester district, South Carolina. Mrs. Mary C. (Gibbes) Gilland was a granddaughter of Chancellor De Saussure, of the Palmetto state. Judge J. D. Gilland was educated by his father in his youth, and began life for himself as a teacher. He went to Arkansas in 1868, and followed this calling in Mount Holly, Camden and College Hill, after which he went to Missouri, and read law at Palmyra. In September, 1871, he came to Mississippi, and settled at Raymond, where he continued the study of law, and was admitted to the bar in May, 1872, and began practicing his calling at that place. He soon moved to Vicksburg, however, and was located here in constant practice until he was appointed to the bench in February, 1890. He has been very successful in adjusting the differences of the people of this district, is an eminent and able jurist, and is deservedly popular. He is a self-made man, and for a time was one of the leading members of the Vicksburg bar, but is now one of the most popular judges of the state. He was one of the incorporators of the People's Savings bank, of Vicksburg, of the Hills City Oil mills, is a stockholder in the Vicksburg Compress association, and is the owner of a fine home on Cherry street. He is a member of the Knights of Honor, and is an elder in the Presbyterian church, in which he and his family are members. He was married in 1872 to Mrs. Emily J. (Lundie) Sherard.

That substantial and highly respected citizen, William A. Gillespie, Greenwood, Miss., is a native of Pennsylvania, born in Mercer county, December 25, 1832. His father, John Gillespie, was also a native of the Keystone state, born in Washington county about the year 1800. Samuel Gillespie, the father of John, removed with his family to Mercer county at an early day, and was prominently identified with the settlement and development of that county. For thirty years he was a magistrate, and was a man honored by all who knew him. The Gillespies are of Scotch-Irish descent, and were among the earliest settlers of the state of Pennsylvania. John Gillespie passed his youth in Mercer county, Penn., and was there married to Sarah Clark, a native of New Jersey, and a daughter of Samuel Clark, one of the pioneers of Mercer county. Mr. Gillespie was a trader and speculator, and for a number of years was engaged in boating and trading on the Mississippi, Ohio, and Yazoo rivers; he owned and operated a trading boat for a long time. He owned a store at Black Hawk, Miss., where he carried on an extensive trade. His death occurred in 1846; his widow

Final settlement of the Estate of RICHARD RICE dec'd *(57 N.C.)*. The will directs a division to ELIZABETH RICE *(57 V)* the widow, the remainder to the following children: RACHEL F. CASEY *(27 K)*, GEORGE R. RICE *(22 A)*, JAMES R. RICE *(20 A)*, WILLIAM P. RICE *(18 A)* and SOLOMON C. RICE *(15 A)*. page 81

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Estate of WILLIAM OLIVER dec'd *(born 1785, Albeurarle W. Va. 1849 Rozersntle? Dr.)*. Division between SARAH OLIVER *(see SARAH MARY HOWARD)* *(born April 2, 1791; died Oct. 18, 1869 Tuscunnbra?)*, the widow, and ALBERT W. OLIVER, SARAH E.*(LIZABETH)* GILBERT *(born Feb. 2, 1823 in Tenn. Valley, died of yellow fever)* *(married Jan. 13, 1842)*, the wife of W. *(WASHINGTON)* A. *(LEX.)* GILBERT *(born Sept. 28, 1814, N.C., died Aug. 30, 1894)*, WILLAHEMEAD LANIER the wife of L. H. LANIER, WILLIAM L. OLIVER, ALBERT O. OLIVER as Executor of the estate of EDWIN T. OLIVER, CHARLES WILLIS as guardian of ADELINE OLIVER and EDWIN M. OLIVER the heirs of ELI M. OLIVER dec'd who was a son of said WILLIAM OLIVER dec'd. page 81

RICHARD M. FAIRES and JOHN DEWBERRY applied for Letters of Administration on the Estate of RICHARD DARBY who departed this life many years since, leaving a will; BURWELL CRADDOCK and BENJAMIN DARBY were issued Leeters Testamentary. Since then BURWELL CRADDOCK had died and BENJAMIN DARBY has removed from the state. page 87

CHARLES W. HARAWAY applied for Letters of Administration on the Estate of NANCY HARAWAY dec'd; he is one of the next of kin. page 87

LEVI GIST, as administrator of the Estate of SINA GIST dec'd, filed petition to sell land. Heirs are petitioner, and JAMES GIST of Lauderdale Co., Ala., JOSEPH GIST of Mississippi Co., Ark.; JOHN GIST of Wayne Co., Tenn.; SARAH MARTIN and husband GEORGE MARTIN of Lauderdale Co., Ala.; WASHINGTON GIST of Mississippi Co., Ala.; JACKSON GIST of Mississippi Co., Ark., all over 21,

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Whiston Family Cem.

Elizabeth, wife of Isaiah Redenour d June 19,1889 aged 42.

Robert Burns d Jan. 20,1908)
Sallie C Burns b Jan. 6,1854 d June 4,1914)

Sidney J.Anderson 1862-1926

Henry C Armistead d Apr. 13,1932 aged 84

S E Bradley Sr. b Palerma,Sicily Dec. 22,1843 d May 10,1910)
Martha E Bradley b Dec. 15,1847 d Jan. 15,1911)

Henry Mims b June 22,1886 d. Sept. 21,1907

xxx Fannie L.Reeves b Apr. 22,1881 d. Dec. 16,1900

Sarah M(ary) Oliver b Apr. 2,1791 d. Oct. 18,1869

Albert A(lexr) Gilbert CSA b Sept. 28,1847 d Nov. 3,1874

Sarah E(liz.) Gilbert b Feb. 2,1825 d. Oct. 22,1878 (of yellow fev

Washington A Gilbert b Sept. 28,1814 d Aug. 30,1894 (Mason)

John W Wilburn b June 19,1868 d Mar 27,1929

James C Ohlman b Dec. 18,1854 d Apr. 8,1902

E E wife of P.Ohlman b Nov. 30,1827 d Jan. 7,1892)
Peter Ohlman b June 14,1817 d May 31,1872)

Sarah V Ohlman (daughter) b Jan. 29,1860 d Mar. 14,1867

Emma B O Knard, wife of JohnKnard b Oct. 28,1857 d Feb. 14,1887

Joe J Davis,CSA b June 24,1843 d Sept. 10,1889)
Mary A Davis b Nov. 6,1848 d Apr. 3,1980)

Jesse H Davis b June, 1866 d Apr. 6,1902 (killed in tragedy at Tuscumbia)

Beulah Plemons b Feb. 3,1875 d Jan. 1,1909

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From Huntsville (Ala) Advocate Sept. 14,1869

Married on the 3rd in Memphis,Tennessee by Rev. Father O'Brien, Mr. C.P.Johnson of Tuscumbia,Ala. to Miss Lizzie H Hine (or Kine?(first letter blurred) of Memphis

From Huntsville (Ala) Advocate Sept. 17,1869

Died on 13th in Tuscumbia,Ala. Mrs. Susan J Laster aged 19 years 11 months and 10 days.

From Huntsville (Ala) Advocate Advocate Oct. 15,1869

Died on the 1st inst. near Middleton, Kentucky of congestive fever after a short illness, Dr. Thomas F Keller in his 46th year formerly of Tuscumbia,Ala.

From Huntsville (Ala) Advocate Oct. 26,1869

Died in Tuscumbia on Monday October 11th after a long and painful illness, Mrs. Elizabeth C Green, wife of John N Green, Esq.

From Huntsville (Ala) Advocate Oct. 26,1869

Died in Tuscumbia,Alabama on the 18th, Mrs. Sarah M.Oliver aged 78 years 6 months and 16 days.

Note: nee Howard, widow of Wm. Oliver.

From Huntsville (Ala) Advocate Nov. 5,1869

Married on the 2nd in Tuscukbia by Rev. J W Whitten, Capt. James H Stickle to Miss Mary E Old, both of Franklin Co.

D.A. Gilbert
Lucretia Roberts

FAMILY GROUP No. _____ Husband's Full Name Doctor Addison Gilbert

This Information Obtained From:

(1) Cem. Rec of Lincoln Moore Counties TN by Marsh, p. 8

(2) Lincoln Co. TN Bible Records Vol 4 by Tucker & Walker p. 125-126

(3) 1850 Fed. Census Lincoln Co. TN

(4) Lived in the neighborhood of Bethel Church - Hannah's Gap

Husband's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth	6 Jan 1821			NC	
Chr'nd					
Mar.	Ca 1837				
Death	19 Feb 1903	Lincoln		TN	
Burial	Gilbert Cem	½ mi E of Bledsoe	Lincoln	TN	

Places of Residence

Occupation _____ Church Affiliation _____ Military Rec. _____

Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

His Father Rev. John Gilbert Mother's Maiden Name _____

Wife's Full Maiden Name Lucretia Roberts

Wife's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth	1820			TN	
Chr'nd					
Death	24 Mar 1893	Lincoln		TN	72 y 5 m 17 d
Burial		Same as Husband			

Places of Residence

Occupation if other than Housewife _____ Church Affiliation Baptist

Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

Her Father _____ Mother's Maiden Name _____

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Address

City, State

Date

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Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
1	Washington A.	Birth	28 May 1839		Lincoln	TN	Cem. Records
	Full Name of Spouse* Margaret "Sorrels"	Mar.	3 Dec 1865	Bk B, Pg 113	Lincoln	TN	of Lincoln
		Death	8 Aug 1898		Lincoln	TN	Co TN
		Burial	Prob.	Cem Belleville	Lincoln	TN	by Marsh
2	John R.	Birth	Ca 1841		Lincoln	TN	
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
3	Rezin A.	Birth	Feb 1842		Lincoln	TN	
	Full Name of Spouse* unmarried	Mar.					
		Death	Aug 1857		Lincoln	TN	
		Burial		Same as parents			
4	Ambrose Franklin	Birth	20 Dec 1844	or 1843	Lincoln	TN	Cem Records
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					of Lincoln
		Death	8 Oct 1921		Lincoln	TN	Co TN by
		Burial	Petersburg	Cem (Old Orchard)	Lincoln	TN	Marsh
5	William W.	Birth	18-6			TN	
	Full Name of Spouse* Martha J. Nichols	Mar.	10 Sep 1867	Bk B p. 210	Lincoln	TN	
		Death					
		Burial					
6	Sarah A.	Birth	Jan 1848		Lincoln	TN	
	Full Name of Spouse* unmarried	Mar.					
		Death	Dec 1863		Lincoln	TN	
		Burial		Same as parents			
7	Peter C.	Birth	26 Dec 1849	Bedford Co. TN	Bk [illegible] p. 122		Cem. Records
	Full Name of Spouse* Percilla Warren	Mar.	15 Jul 1875	Bedford Co. TN	Bk [illegible] p. 122		of Lincoln
		Death		by Marsh			Co. TN
		Burial					by Marsh
8	James L.	Birth	1851		Lincoln	TN	1860 Cen.
	Full Name of Spouse* Effie Allen	Mar.					Co. TN
		Death	1923		Lincoln	TN	Census
		Burial	Petersburg	Cem (Old Orchard)	Lincoln	TN	
9	Margaret Ann	Birth	Ca 1853		Lincoln	TN	1860 Cen.
	Full Name of Spouse* "Andy" Andrew Jackson Burns	Mar.	5 Jun 1872		Lincoln	TN	Co TN
		Death	20 Jul 1933	Charity	Moore	TN	Census
		Burial					
10	Henry H.	Birth	12 Sep 1855		Lincoln	TN	
	Full Name of Spouse* unmarried	Mar.					
		Death	7 Jul 1865	Same as parents			
		Burial					

*If married more than once, list each mar. (1) (2) etc. and list in "Add. info. on children" column. Use reverse side for additional children, other notes, references or information.

(128) (134) (136)

Correct death

(5) Cem. Records of Lincoln Co. TN by Marsh

Mrs. Carolyn Reeves of John and Ella Simpson Smith

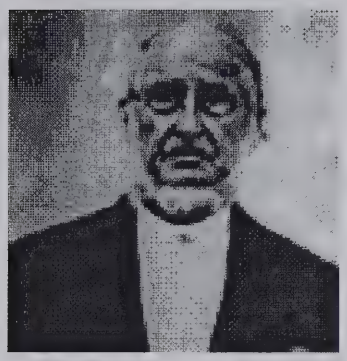
Reeves Encino, Tex. 1983

11. Mary E. — b 26 May 1857 Lincoln TN
W.A. Morrison — m 22 Oct 1874 Lincoln TN
d 31 Dec 1912 Lincoln TN

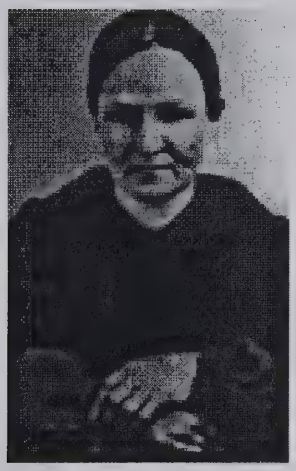
(139) 12. Cordelia — b ca 1861 Lincoln TN
Joseph C Wagter — m 3 Jun 1881 Lincoln TN (IGI)
d 1935 Lincoln TN

(140) 13. Ruth Amarica "Kamy" — b ca 1865 Lincoln TN
Barnabia C. Morton — m aft 1898 Lincoln TN ?
d 1945 Lincoln TN

14. Frances E. "Fanny" — b ca 1866
Joe Stephenson — m 1884 TN
d 1946 TN



Doctor A. Gilbert



Lucretia Roberts
Gilbert

HUSBAND: D.A. "Doc" **Gilbert**[1]
Born: 6 Jun 1821 Bedford Co., TN or NC[2]
Marr: **circa 1839**
Died: **19 Feb 1902** Lincoln Co., TN
Buried: **1902** Lincoln Co., TN[3]
Prob: **3 Mar 1902** Lincoln Co., TN[4]
Census: **27 Sep 1850** Lincoln Co., TN[5]
Father: Rev. John **Gilbert**
Mother: Sarah Grace "Sallie" **Bourland**

WIFE: Lucretia **Roberts**[6]
Born: **7 Oct 1820** prob. Bedford Co, TN[7]
Died: **24 Mar 1893**
Buried: **1893** Lincoln Co., TN[3]
Father: John **Roberts** Sr.
Mother: Sarah **Smith**

CHILDREN (X = ancestor of preparer)

1 M X
Name: Washington A. **Gilbert**
Born: **circa 1840** Lincoln or Bedf, ord Co., TN
Marr: **3 Dec 1865** Lincoln Co., TN[8]
To: Margaret T. **Sorrells**
Died: (deceased) Lincoln Co., TN

2 M
Name: John R. **Gilbert**
Born: **circa 1841** Lincoln Co., TN[9]
Died: (deceased)

3 M
Name: Rezin **Gilbert**
Born: **Feb 1842** Lincoln Co., TN[10]
Died: **Aug 1857** Lincoln Co., TN
Buried: **1857** Lincoln Co., TN[11]

4 M
Name: Ambrose F. **Gilbert**
Born: **29 Dec 1843** Lincoln Co., TN[12]
Died: **6 Oct 1921** Lincoln Co., Tn
Buried: **1921** Lincoln Co., TN[13]

5 M
Name: William W. **Gilbert**
Born: **circa 1846** Lincoln Co., TN
Marr: **10 Sep 1867** Lincoln Co., TN
To: Martha **Nichols**[14]
Died: (deceased)

Prepared by: Patricia Ann **West**
Rel. to husband: 3G-GrandDaughter Rel. to wife: 3G-GrandDaughter

HUSBAND: D.A. "Doc" **Gilbert**
WIFE: Lucretia **Roberts**

CHILDREN (Continued)

6 F
Name: Sarah A. **Gilbert**[15]
Born: **circa 1847** Lincoln Co., TN[16]
Died: (deceased)
Buried:

7 M
Name: Peter C. **Gilbert**
Born: **26 Dec 1849** Lincoln Co., TN[17]
Marr: **15 Jul 1875**[18]
To: Percilla Loucy **Warren**
Died: (deceased)

8 M
Name: James L. "Jimmy" **Gilbert**
Born: **1851** Lincoln Co., TN
Marr:
To: Effie **Allen**
Died: **1923**
Buried: **1923** Lincoln Co., TN[13]

9 F
Name: Margaret Ann "Maggie" **Gilbert**[19]
Born: **circa 1853** Lincoln Co., TN
Marr:
To: Andrew Jackson "Andy" **Burns**
Died: **7 Nov 1890** near Charity, Moore Co., TN[20]

10 M
Name: Henry **Gilbert**
Born: **12 Apr 1855** Lincoln Co., Tn
Died: **7 Jul 1865** Lincoln Co., TN
Buried: **1865** Lincoln Co., TN[3]

11 F
Name: Mary E. **Gilbert**
Born: **26 May 1857** Lincoln Co., TN[21]
Marr: **22 Oct 1874** Lincoln Co., TN[22]
To: W.A. "Billy" **Morrison**
Died: **31 Dec 1912** Lincoln Co., TN

12 F
Name: Cordelia **Gilbert**
Born: **1861** Lincoln Co., TN
Marr:
To: Joe C. **Wagster**
Died: **1935** Lincoln Co., TN[23]

13
Name: Ruth America **Gilbert**

HUSBAND: D.A. "Doc" **Gilbert**
WIFE: Lucretia **Roberts**

CHILDREN (Continued)

F	Born: **1865** Lincoln Co., TN[24] Marr:[25] To: Barachias C. **Morton** Died: **1945** Lincoln Co., TN
14 F	Name: Frances E. "Fanny" **Gilbert** Born: **1866**[21] Marr: To: Joe **Stephenson** Died: **1946**

REFERENCES

[1]Received compensation from U.S. after Civil War; claim #955, Nat'l Arch.

[2]Civil War claim says Lincoln Co. all his life. 1850 Census says b NC.

[3]Gilbert Cemetery.

[4]Will Book 5, p. 185, Lincoln Co., TN. Will signed 19 Dec 1900.

[5]Subdivision 2, Household 491, p. 34. Value $500.

[6]Smith-Roberts-Gi lbert Bible, 1792-1898, in custody of Patricia Ann **West**.

[7]1850 census says b. Tennessee.

[8]Early Middle TN Marriages, Sistler, 1988.

[9]1850 census, Lincoln Co., TN, h/h $ 491, p. 35. Listed as 9 yrs. old.

[10]Tombstone, 1818-1863; 1850 Lincoln Co. Census, p. 35; age 7.

[11]Gilbert Cemetery, Lincoln Co., TN.

[12]Executor, D.A. Gilbert's will.

[13]Old Orchard Cemetery.

[14]Early Middle TN Marriages, Sistler, 1988.

[15]Alice K. West's records fr. 1950s say m Peter Warren.

[16]Age 3 in 1850 census.

[17]DOB from Warren, Newson, Jackson, Wagster family Bible--fr. Jane Waller.

HUSBAND: D.A. "Doc" **Gilbert**
WIFE: Lucretia **Roberts**

REFERENCES (Continued)

[18]Warrens, Newsom, Jackson, Wagster Family Bible, copied by Jane W. Waller.

[19]Information from descendant, Jean Burns Cosby, Pulaski, TN, 7/92.

[20]"The Fayetteville Observer"-20 Nov 1890; fr. Jane Warren Waller.

[21]Birth & death from tombstone, Old Orchard Cemetery.

[22]Lincoln Co., TN, Marriage Book C, p. 87 (in Marsh, Lin. Co., TN Marr.).

[23]Old Orchard Cemetery, Lincoln Co., TN.

[24]Birth & death from tombstone, Old Orchard Cemetery.

[25]His second marriage, her first.

HUSBAND: Washington A. **Gilbert**
Born: **circa 1840** Lincoln or Bedf, ord Co., TN
Marr: **3 Dec 1865** Lincoln Co., TN[1]
Died: (deceased) Lincoln Co., TN
Father: D.A. "Doc" **Gilbert**
Mother: Lucretia **Roberts**

WIFE: Margaret T. **Sorrells**
Born: **19 Nov 1846** Lincoln Co., TN[2]
Died: (deceased)
Father: William **Sorrells** (I)
Mother: Eleanor M. "Nellie" **King**

CHILDREN (X = ancestor of preparer)

1 F X
Name: Alice Eugenia **Gilbert**
Born: **15 Jan 1867** Lincoln Co., TN
Marr: **20 Nov 1887** Moore Co., TN[3]
To: Thomas Roberts **Morton**[4]
Died: **14 Mar 1919** Huntsville, Madison Co., AL[5]

2 F
Name: Molly **Gilbert**
Born: **after 1867**
Died: (deceased)

3 F
Name: Ivy **Gilbert**
Born: **after 1867**
Died: (deceased)

REFERENCES

[1]Early Middle TN Marriages, Sistler, 1988.

[2]Information from Tom King, Sr., Apr., 1992.

[3]Husband's father & wife's mother were double 1st cousins.

[4]Gertie B. Morton's records.

[5]Buried Maple Hill Cemetery, Hunstville. No marker as of 1992.

Prepared by: Patricia Ann **West**
Rel. to husband: 2G-GrandDaughter Rel. to wife: 2G-GrandDaughter

HUSBAND: Thomas Roberts **Morton**[1]
Born: **15 Dec 1865** Lincoln Co., TN
Marr: **20 Nov 1887** Moore Co., TN[2,3]
Died: **13 Mar 1907** Huntsville, Madison Co., AL[4]
Father: William C. **Morton**
Mother: Sarah M. **Gilbert**

WIFE: Alice Eugenia **Gilbert**
Born: **15 Jan 1867** Lincoln Co., TN
Died: **14 Mar 1919** Huntsville, Madison Co., AL[5]
Father: Washington A. **Gilbert**
Mother: Margaret T. **Sorrells**

CHILDREN (X = ancestor of preparer)

1 F
Name: Arty Lera **Morton**[6]
Born: **20 Sep 1888** Lincoln Co., TN
Died: **circa 1968** Luverne, Crenshaw Co., AL[7]

2 F
Name: Marchie May **Morton**[6]
Born: **13 Mar 1890** Fayetteville, Lincoln Co., TN[8]
Marr: **16 Nov 1919** Albany, Morgan Co., AL[9]
To: James Howell **Davenport**[10]
Died: **2 Mar 1965** Troy, Pike Co., AL[11]
Grad: Talledga, Talledga Co., AL[12]

3 F X
Name: Gertie B. **Morton**[1]
Born: **9 Jan 1892** Fayetteville, Lincoln Co., TN
Marr: **7 Apr 1917** Huntsville, Madison Co., AL[13]
To: Patrick G.(NMN) **Kirkland**[14]
Died: **6 Oct 1965** Memphis, Shelby Co., TN[15]
Buried: **Oct 1965** Memphis, Shelby Co., TN
Prob: **30 Nov 1965** Memphis, Shelby, Co., TN[16]
Grad: Talledga, Talledga Co., AL[17]

4 M
Name: Velma T. **Morton**[6]
Born: **6 Mar 1902** Huntsville, Madison Co., TN
Died: **10 Feb 1911** Huntsville, Madison Co., TN[18]
Grad:

REFERENCES

[1]Morton-Gilbert Bible, 1829-1919, in custody of Lucian Winfred **West** Jr.

[2]Husband's father & wife's mother were double 1st cousins.

Prepared by: Patricia Ann **West**
Rel. to husband: 1G-GrandDaughter Rel. to wife: 1G-GrandDaughter

VI.

HUSBAND: Thomas Roberts **Morton**
WIFE: Alice Eugenia **Gilbert**

REFERENCES (Continued)

[3]Gertie B. Morton's records.

[4]Buried Maple Hill Cemetery, Huntsville, AL.

[5]Buried Maple Hill Cemetery, Hunstville. No marker as of 1992.

[6]117.

[7]? Buried Shiloh Baptist Church Cemetery, Brundidge, Pike Co., AL.

[8]Social security # 423-34-4329. First name misspelled as "Marshie".

[9]Patricia West has certified copy of marriage certificate.

[10]Marriage Record No. Q at p. 272, Probate Ct., Morgan Co., AL.

[11]Buried Shiloh Bapt. Church Cemetery, Brundidge, AL. Have obituary.

[12]Alabama School for the Deaf.

[13]Patricia West has a certified copy of marriage license.

[14]Marriage Record 42, p. 565, Probate Ct., Madison Co., AL.

[15]Heart disease. Living with daughter, Alice West & family.

[16]Date probate record filed.

[17]Alabama School for the Deaf. Family moved from TN to AL for her school.

[18]Buried with parents, Maple Hill Cemetery, Huntsville.

HUSBAND: Patrick G.(NMN) **Kirkland**[1]
Born: **13 Oct 1887** Moulton, Lawrence Co., AL
Marr: **7 Apr 1917** Huntsville, Madison Co., AL[2,3]
MarLic: **7 Apr 1917** Huntsville, Madison Co., AL
Died: **23 Oct 1974** Pueblo, Pueblo Co., CO[4]
Buried: **Oct 1974** Memphis, Shelby Co., TN[5]
Grad: Talledga, Talledga Co., AL[6]
Father: Robert Archibald **Kirkland**
Mother: Mary Emily "Molly" **Masterson**

WIFE: Gertie B. **Morton**[7]
Born: **9 Jan 1892** Fayetteville, Lincoln Co., TN
Died: **6 Oct 1965** Memphis, Shelby Co., TN[8]
Buried: **Oct 1965** Memphis, Shelby Co., TN
Prob: **30 Nov 1965** Memphis, Shelby, Co., TN[9]
Grad: Talledga, Talledga Co., AL[10]
Father: Thomas Roberts **Morton**
Mother: Alice Eugenia **Gilbert**

CHILDREN (X = ancestor of preparer)

1 M
Name: Male **Kirkland**
Chr: **circa 1919** Albany, Morgam Co., AL
Died: **circa 1919** Albany, Morgan Co., AL

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2 F X
Name: Alice Eugenia **Kirkland**
Born: **1 Nov 1920** Albany, Morgan Co., AL[11]
Conf: Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL[12]
Marr: **7 Mar 1942** Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL
To: Lucian Winfred **West** Sr.
Marr: **20 Feb 1971** Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL
To: Kyle Austin **Chambers**
Died: **2 Sep 1990** Ashville, St. Clair Co., AL[13]
Buried: **4 Sep 1990** Arab, Marshall Co., AL[14]
Grad: **Jun 1939** Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL[15]

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3 F
Name: Margaret Elizabeth **Kirkland**
Born: **19 Nov 1923** Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL
Marr: **19 Jul 1941** Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL
To: Bert Kent **Smith** Jr.

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4 M
Name: Patrick G. **Kirkland** Jr.
Born: **14 Nov 1926** Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL
Marr:
To: Dorothy June **Findlay**
Died: **16 Oct 1982** Montgomery, Montgomery Co., AL
Buried: Montgomery, Montgomery Co., AL

Prepared by: Patricia Ann **West**
Rel. to husband: GrandDaughter Rel. to wife: GrandDaughter

HUSBAND: Patrick G.(NMN) **Kirkland**
WIFE: Gertie B. **Morton**

CHILDREN (Continued)

REFERENCES

[1]Kirkland & Masterson Bible Page, in custody of Patricia Ann **West**.

[2]Patricia West has a certified copy of marriage license.

[3]Marriage Record 42, p. 565, Probate Ct., Madison Co., AL.

[4]Living in union printers'nursing home before death; have obituary.

[5]Buried Memorial Park-East, with wife.

[6]Alabama School for the Deaf.

[7]Morton-Gilbert Bible, 1829-1919, in custody of Lucian Winfred **West** Jr.

[8]Heart disease. Living with daughter, Alice West & family.

[9]Date probate record filed.

[10]Alabama School for the Deaf. Family moved from TN to AL for her school.

[11]Birth certificate.

[12]St. Mary's Episcopal Cathedral, Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL.

[13]Lived Ashville; Died of heart attack in a pharmacy in Springville, AL.

[14]Arab City Cemetery, Sec. Block EE, Lot 187-88, 3rd addition.

[15]Woodlawn High School.

HUSBAND: Lucian Winfred **West** Sr.
Born: **29 Dec 1921** Decatur, Wise Co., TX
Marr: **7 Mar 1942** Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL
Div: **Feb 1967** Anniston, Calhoun Co., AL
Grad: **1939** Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL[1]
Father: Zack Simeon **West**
Mother: Martha Elizabeth "Betty" **Williams**
Other w:
1967: Helen **Doss**
1985: Jean **Adrian**

WIFE: Alice Eugenia **Kirkland**
Born: **1 Nov 1920** Albany, Morgan Co., AL[2]
Conf: Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL[3]
Died: **2 Sep 1990** Ashville, St. Clair Co., AL[4]
Buried: **4 Sep 1990** Arab, Marshall Co., AL[5]
Grad: **Jun 1939** Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL[1]
Father: Patrick G.(NMN) **Kirkland**
Mother: Gertie B. **Morton**
Other h:
1971: Kyle Austin **Chambers**

CHILDREN (X = ancestor of preparer)

1 F X
Name: Patricia Ann **West**
Born: **29 Nov 1945** Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL[2]
Conf: **circa 1962** Memphis, Shelby Co., TN[6]
Marr: **25 May 1974** St. Louis, St. Louis Co., MO[7]
To: William Bruce **Springer**
Grad: **Feb 1975** St. Louis, City, MO[8]

2 M
Name: Lucian Winfred **West** Jr.
Born: **6 May 1948** Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL[2]
Marr: **28 Dec 1968** Memphis, Shelby Co., TN
To: Doris Ann **Sammons**
Marr: **18 Oct 1984** Bay Minette, Baldwin Co., AL
To: Nancy **Schull**
Empl: Robertsdale, Baldwin Co., AL

REFERENCES

[1]Woodlawn High School.

[2]Birth certificate.

[3]St. Mary's Episcopal Cathedral, Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL.

[4]Lived Ashville; Died of heart attack in a pharmacy in Springville, AL.

Prepared by: Patricia Ann **West**
Rel. to husband: Daughter Rel. to wife: Daughter

HUSBAND: Lucian Winfred **West** Sr.
WIFE: Alice Eugenia **Kirkland**

REFERENCES (Continued)

[5]Arab City Cemetery, Sec. Block EE, Lot 187-88, 3rd addition.

[6]St. Elisabeth's Episcopal Church, Memphis, Shelby, TN.

[7]Home of Drs. Eli and Lee (Nelkin) Robins, 1 Forest Ridge, Clayton, MO.

[8]B.S.('67), M.A.(69) Memphis State U.; Ph.D.('75), St. Louis University.

Land Deed Genealogy of Bedford Co. TN 1807-1852 by Helen C Marsh & Timothy R. Marsh

Page 400 - 8 Mar 1852. William J. Chunn to Peter E. Clardy and others. Trustees, School House, 1/2 acre. William J. Chunn conveyed unto Michael Dixon and Peter E. Clardy also William J. Chunn as Trustees, land in Bedford Co., TN, on waters of Fall Creek near to Burns Meeting House. Bounded by the Meeting House, Clardy's line. The land set apart for the purpose of building a good and comfortable School House. Reg: 16 Mar 1852.

Page 400 - 19 Feb 1851. Martha Allen to Thomas W. Davis. Deed, 33 acres. Whereas by the statues of dower of Hugh Allen, Martha Allen is seized of a life estate in land in Bedford Co., TN, in District No. 9, sold to Thomas W. Davis. Bounded by A. P. Mohumdro and Davis' corner. Wit: James Foster and William E. Davis. Reg: 23 Mar 1852.

Page 402 - 8 Mar 1852. W. W. Reese to L. Leftwich and others. Deed, 115 acres. W. W. Reese sold to L. Leftwich and A. G. Gill, Trustees for Charity Church, James D. Cole and A. D. Summerford, Trustees for Concord Church, D. A. Gilbert and William Armstrong, Trustees for Hannah's Gap Church and their successors in office, land in the Counties of Lincoln and Bedford, TN. Bounded by the County Line, B. Phillips, J. Polk and W. Bagley. Wit: W. W. Gill and John Wagster. Reg: 24 Mar 1852.

Page 403 - -- Mar 1852. A. J. Evans and wife to Claiborn McQuistion. Town Lot Deed. A. J. Evans and Mary Jane Evans sold to Claiborn McQuistion, land in Bedford Co., TN, in Town of Shelbyville, Lot No. 99. Reg: 24 Mar 1852.

Page 407 - 25 Feb 1845. Solomon Hornaday and others to John Anthony. Deed. Solomon Hornaday, David Low, John Low, Barbery Anthony and Elizabeth Brinkley, the nearest heirs of Samuel Low, deceased, and P. L. Shofner, purchaser of her share of Barbery Anthony, sold to John Anthony, land in Bedford Co., on waters of Thompsons Creek. Bounded by an entry of John Low, Adam Anthony, Epps and Allen Parker. Wit: H. Kimsey and J. L. Span. Reg: 29 Mar 1852.

Page 409 - 2 Jan 1852. William O. Pepper and wife to Newcum Thompson. Deed, 99¼ acres. William O. Pepper and Sophia A. Pepper formerly Sophia A. Sutton, sold to Newcum Thompson, Sr., land in Bedford Co., TN, in District No. 7, on north side of Duck River and about 1½ miles west of Shelbyville. Bounded by William B. Sutton. Reg: 31 Mar 1852.

Page 411 - April Term 1850. Circuit Court Decree.
John F. Norman and wife and William Woosley, guardian and others. Petition to sell land and slaves. Charles T. Philpot was purchaser of the land belonging to the heirs of Nathaniel and Sally Hubbard, deceased, all the interest which Robert McElvany and his wife Nancy, John F. Norman and wife Milley, William Heaslett and wife Malvina, John W. Davis and wife Sally, Nathaniel Hubbard, William Hubbard, and Elizabeth Hubbard, have in the land in Bedford Co., TN, of 68 acres, on waters of Big Flat Creek and being the lands assigned to Sarah Hubbard, widow of Nathaniel Hubbard, deceased. Reg: 31 Mar 1852.

Page 412 - 1 Jun 1842. Stephen Porter and others to Nathaniel Porter. Deed, 200 acres. Stephen Porter, Samuel Porter, John Porter and George W. Cummings and Sarah his wife formerly Sarah

H. Porter, and Stephen A. P
William W. Porter of the Te
Porter of Bedford Co., TN,
Bounded by Dougherty survey
Porter's old corner, Mathew
and Cunningham's line. Wit
Cunningham. Reg: 3 Apr 185

Page 416 - 24 Jun 1851. Jo
Deed. Alexander Eakin, Joh
John R. Eakin, sold land in
land on Shelbyville to Murf
by Enoch William, B. F. Whi
1852.

Page 418 - 1 Jan 1852. Wil
J. W. Cowan. Deed, Town Lo
Cowan and John R. Eakin, Tr
Eakin, the heirs, a certain
in Shelbyville, it being th
said Cowan. Eakin and Cowa
and Testament of John Eakin
daughters Julia A. and Sara
Samuel Cowan. Reg: 4 Apr 1

Page 427 - -- Feb 1852. Ma
Deed. Whereas in the Last
grandfather William McGrew,
Bedford Co., TN. In one o
following that his daughte
husband, the share given to
husband but to be settled o
J. and Charlotte unless he
his Executors to give to he
death. Randolph Newsom who
mother Frances has executed
H. C. Hurst. Reg: 7 Apr 1

Page429 - 3 Apr 1852. T.
Thomas B. Jeffress gave to
Nancy C. Long, land in Bed
G. McGowan. Land in Distr
Samuel G. McGowan. Reg: 8

Page 436 - 10 Jan 1851. T
Martin. Power of Attorney
Martin appointed Thomas Ma
in Bedford Co., TN, in Dis
Thomas Carlton, J--- FLoyd
and wife Mary C. Martin of
1852.

Page 437 - 10 Jan 1852. T
Woddy S. Taylor. Deed, 39
his wife of Izard Co., Ark
of Williamson Co., TN, sol
Co., TN, in District No. 1
Mankin. Reg: 10 Apr 1852.

Page 439 - 17 Feb 1852. J
Robert Allison. Deed, 1/2

J. M. Sorrells
Jul 14, 1836
Feb 16, 1904
&
M. A. Sorrells
Mar 20, 1836
(no date)

Alonzo Cothran *
Died Dec 30, 1911
Age: 30 years

Mattie E., wife of
J. C. Conwell
Apr 4, 1861
Jul 14, 1904

John,* Son of
G. W. Cowan
Died May 31, 1891
Age: 21 years

Ida, wife of
J. F. Hess
Apr 3, 1884
Sep 8, 1906

John G. Ferguson *
Died Aug 4, 1899
Age: 58 years

William T. Harkins *
Died Oct 29, 1905
Age: 38 years.

Mrs. Margaret Harkins *
Died Jan 24, 1888
Age: 76 years

Mrs. Margaret Judson *,
Widow of J. W. Waid
Sep 10, 1857 (Born)
Mrd Dec 1, 1881
Died May 18, 1915

Many unmarked graves.

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KING CEMETERY

LOCATION: Four and one-half miles east of Petersburg, Tennessee, on south side of Petersburg-Chestnut Ridge Road, near Haskins Cemetery.

William Noah Bonner
Feb 5, 1845
May 1, 1872

Mahala Bonner
Jan 26, 1814
Feb 27, 1891

J. W. Bonner
Feb 4, 1851
Oct 19, 1884

James M. Barham
Oct 11, 1827
Aug 5, 1890
Age: 63y, 9m, 25d.

Mary J., wife of
J. M. Barham
Mar 5, 1834
Jun 6, 186_ (broken)

J. P. Gammill and
1839-1882

Mrs. Ada Hess *
Died Sep 8, 1906
Age: (no age given)

Mrs. Sarah King *
Died Jan 15, 1894
Age: 65 years.

Nancy C., wife of
F. M. Bonner
Sep 7, 1853
Jun 28, 1877

L. C. Barham
Dec 24, 1876
Nov 1, 1881

Charlie, Son of
W. A. & M. L. King
Aug 11, 1896
Jun 26, 1899

Infant Daughter of
W. A. & M. L. King
B&D Oct 7, 1884

S. J. King
Sep 13, 1858
Oct 23, 1872

T. E. Gammill and
1839-1911

Mrs. Martha Jane,* wife of
W. M. Duncan
Died Apr 12, 1896
Age: 42y, 1m, 11d.

Many unmarked graves.

A. J. King
Sep 8, 1813
Jul 3, 1871

I. E., wife of
A. J. King
Mar 10, 1822
Oct 19, 1906

J. A. Barham
Dec 4, 1855
Mar 31, 1893

Infant of
S. A. & Blanch Wells
B&D Dec 15, 1914

Infant Sons of
Ulric & Lizzie Wells
B&D Jan 2, 1913

M. E. Gammill
1876-1899

Mrs. Oliver Coldwell,*
Died Feb 18, 1904
Age: 60y, 24d.

Moses C. Freeman *
Died Aug 7, 1893
Age: 60 years

Ada, Daughter of
J. J. & E. J. Delk
Jul 18, 1875
Aug 11, 1875

Eliza J. King,
wife of J. J. Delk
Jun 3, 1846
Jul 26, 1875

Alice King, wife of
N. T. Wells
Mar 2, 1861
Sep 24, 1894

Newt Wells
1867-1936

Ruric Wells
May 24, 1884
Oct 3, 1914

Mamie Diola,* Daughter of
James & Hannah C. Wade
Died Sep 27, 1893
Age: 3y, 10m.

Willie J.,* Son of
A. E. & S. P. King
Died Dec 11, 1893
Age: 6m.

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GILBERT CEMETERY

LOCATION: One-half mile east of Bledsoe on south of Bledsoe-Chestnut Ridge Road.

D. A. Gilbert
Jan 6, 1821
Feb 19, 1903

Lucreta Gilbert
Died Mar 24, 1893
Aged: 72y, 5m, 17d.

Henry H. Gilbert
Apr 12, 1855
Jul 7, 1865

Sarah A. Gilbert
Jan 1818
Dec 1863

Rezin A. Gilbert
Feb 1842
Aug 1857

Estil, Daughter of
P. C. & Ella Gilbert
Nov 9, 1879
Sep 6, 1884

Willie, Son of
P. C. & Ella Gilbert
Aug 21, 1885
Sep 12, 1888

Felix, Son of
P. C. & Ella Gilbert
May 5, 1895
Dec 26, 1898

M. A. Burns
Jul 15, 1853
Nov 7, 1890

Missie L., Daughter of
C. & Elizabeth Dyer
Feb 21, 1869
Sep 11, 1887

John H., Son of
Columbus & Lizzie Dyer
Mar 21, 1873
Jul 18, 1874

Nancy J. Dyer
born Jul 14, 1837
married R. Dyer
Jun 29, 1851
died Sep 27, 1883

Fieldstone
1851

Fieldstone
18-- U.S.

Fieldstone
1864

Approximately 15 graves with fieldstones, no inscriptions.

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HESTER CEMETERY

LOCATION: Two and one-half miles NE of Petersburg, Tennessee, in Wells Hollow.

Mary E. B. Woodard
Aug 29, 1821
Jun --, ---- (broken)

Fannie McAdams
Jan 13, 1845
Aug 20, 1893

Many unmarked graves.

Margaret M., Daughter of
E. G. G. & M. L. Beanland
Feb 28, 1841
Dec 27, 1845

Samuel Scott
Sep 20, 1808
Feb 6, 1874
&
Elizabeth Ryalls Scott
Dec 26, 1804
1875

Jas. R. Hester
Oct 10, 1793
Dec --, ---- (broken)

Elizabeth S., wife of
Jas. R. Hester
--- --, 1803
--- --, 187- (broken)

Mrs. S. A. Hester
Nov 18, 1837
May 8, 1908

Bernard Hester
Apr 13, 1886
Jun 13, 1907

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OLD CEMETERY

LOCATION: Three miles NE of Petersburg, Tennessee on west side of Hannah Gap-Petersburg Road.

Gusta Old
Jan 17, 1805
Jul 3, 1833

Mary, Daughter of
W. M. & Nancy Old
Jul 3, 1819
Jul 13, 1840

(marker broken)
Aug 1833

Nancy E. Old
Dec 28, 1837
Aug 29, 1858

John Old
Jan 25, 1776
Jul 24, 1853

Nancy Old
Aug 26, 1776
Nov 30, 1860

Catharine V. Old
Jan 16, 1840
Aug 9, 1858

John C. Old
Nov 24, 1844
Nov 12, 1884
&
Isabella, wife of
John C. Old
Jul 3, 1852
Aug 31, 1885

Mattie A., wife of
W. R. Loving
Aug 2, 1847
Jul 17, 1885

William L. Old
Sep 3, 1850
Aug 11, 1870

One marker deteriorated

Sallie E. Old
Apr 22, 1853
Mar 12, 1869

W. M. Old
Sep 18, 1809
Nov 24, 1854
&
E. A. Old
Dec 25, 1812
Nov 1, 1887

Roy C., Son of
J. C. & Belle Old
Jan 18, 1881
Mar 12, 1882
Age: 1y, 1m, 24d.

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). U. W., began its existence from charter dated May 2, 1877. Jewel Lodge, No. 59, K. & . of H. was established April 1, 1879, and has about 60 members. There are five church difices in the town, owned respectively by the Cumberland Presbyterians, Presbyteians, Methodist Episcopal Church South, Christians and the Protestant Episcopalians. he Missionary Baptists have an organization but no building. There are four churches or the colored people of the following denominations: African Methodist Episcopal, Primive Baptist, Missionary Baptist and the Cumberland Presbyterian.

About 1815 George L. Leonard settled where Petersburg now is and cleared up the nd there. He put up a cotton-gin, and afterward began the first mercantile trade of e place by selling small articles of merchandise, such as thread, etc. Porterfield & kin established a small store in 1828, and Wm. DeWoody conducted their business. In 833 they were superseded by Rowlett & Hill, and soon others followed. Holman & oyd, Jones & Yowell, Rives & Hayes and Stone & Reese were merchants before 1840, nd all did a large business. Then came a lull in the business tide of Petersburg until e war; however, Metcalfe & Son did a good business during this time, as also did Vynus, Blake & Co., Smith, Blake & Co. and Fonville & Bledsoe. Since the war the rincipal merchants have been W. J. Hamilton, P. B. Marsh & Son, Fogleman & Cumings and Hall & Hamilton, together with the present business firms. General merhants—G. A. Jarvis, Cummings & Bledsoe and B. S. Popflanus grocers—E. M. Crawford nd L. L. Rebman; W. R. Hanaway, undertaker and furniture dealer; Rives & Chrisopher, saddlers and harness-makers; saloons—J. W. King & Co., F. D. Cummings & Co. nd Pack & Byrd; blacksmiths—Alex Lancaster and George Morrison. J. C. Montgomry has a large frame flouring-mill, and Dwiggins & Co. are erecting a fine brick mill. illespie Bros. do a livery business.

The secret societies are Unity Lodge, No. 84 I. O. O. F., which has a membership of wenty; Petersburg Lodge, No. 123, was organized in 1846, and for many years was very trong, but now has only a weak organization; Petersburg Lodge, No. 607, K. of H., has membership of thirteen, and was organized in 1877. Petersburg has a good school, and ve churches of the following denominations: Methodist Episcopal South, Presbyterian, umberland Presbyterian, Missionary Baptist and Christian. It is a chartered town, but y some the charter is considered a burden. It is situated on the Duck River Valley Raiload, twelve miles from Fayetteville.

Mulberry began to exist as a village about 1840. Among the merchants that have ransacted business there were Booker Shapard, Drury Conley, Abner Brady, R. N. Whitker, W. W. James & Co., Hoots & Logan and J. & W. H. Reese, previous to the war. ince the resumption of business after the war have been W. W. James & Co., W. L. hofner, R. A. & J. H. Reese, Whitaker & Yates, E. S. Terry and J. G. Reese, the last wo of whom are now in business. Several family groceries, etc., have existed from time o time. The Mulberry Academy began about 1830, and has become a noted school. here was once a male and female academy, but it is now known as the Mulberry Male nd Female Academy. There is one Missionary Baptist Church, one Cumberland Presyterian Church, one Methodist Episcopal Church South and one Christian Church. hysicians are G. W. Jones, A. R. Shadden and S. Dance. Mulberry Lodge, No. 404, F. A. M., was organized in 1870, and is in a prosperous condition. It had twelve charter embers. Mulberry Lodge, No. 148, was chartered in 1871 and has only a very weak oranization. The Good Templars have a lodge of about ninety members. There are two ood mills near by. In the village are two blacksmith shops, two wood-work shops and cabinet-maker and undertaker.

Boonshill was one of the first postoffices established in the county. Previous to the ar Wood & McDaniel, Hudson & Horton and Sumner & Ewing were merchants there. ince the war have been Buchanan & White, E. S. Wilson & Co., Swinebroad & Co., empleton & Son and H. D. Smith, the present merchants. Physicians have been Dr. ohn Wood, Dr. Dunlap, Dr. Porter, Dr. Parks and Dr. Sumner. Stephen Hightown rst settled where Millville now is. Stone & Baird were the first merchants; others were

Frank McLaurine, G. L. McLane, Sam Isaacs, Thomas McLaurine, McGuin & Son, McGuire & Franklin, Ezell & Hudspeth. Since the war have been Ezell & McGuire, F. L. Ezell, Ally Smith and Finney & Son. Dr. C. B. McGuire practiced medicine there from 1847 to 1859; others have been Dr. M. P. Forehand and Dr. G. W. McGuire.

Dellrose was first known as "Roosterville." "Hog" Bruce was the founder and first merchant. It has only been a village since 1867. D. C. Sherrill & Co. are now doing business there. There is a good school. Dr. B. S. Stone is the physician of the place. Molino postoffice was established in 1849, by D. C. Hall, the first postmaster and merchant. Since the war, merchants have been Robert Stewart, James W. Rawls, Joe Montgomery and J. H. Dale & Co. J. W. Rawls was a blacksmith, and John Hays the present one. It has a Missionary Baptist Church there, and is located in a good locality. Howell is a small station on the narrow-gauge railroad, seven miles from Fayetteville. It was first known as Renfroe Station. Harris Bros. and George Bros. are merchants. It has a good railroad depot and a Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Oak Hill is a village nine miles north of Fayetteville. The postoffice is Norris Creek. H. L. Cole and James Bell are merchants. It has a good school, a Cumberland Presbyterian Church and a Missionary Baptist Church. There is also a Masonic lodge of thirty-eight members—Mount Hebron, No. 344, and a weak lodge of I. O. O. F.—Oak Hill, No. 39. A pike connects Oak Hill with Fayetteville. Stonesborough is a chartered town and consists of a distillery owned by Stone & Thomas, and a store and saloon owned by Stone & Patterson. W. J. Landers has a tan-yard between this place and Oak Hill. Chestnut Ridge is also in the north part of the county. J. N. Stallings is a merchant. James Freeman a blacksmith, and Wash. Gilbert a wagon-maker. Chestnut Ridge Lodge, No, 499, F. & A. M., has about fifteen members, and Chestnut Ridge Lodge, No. 157, I. O. O. F., has nearly fifty members. There is a church near by.

Booneville, received its name from Capt. Nathan Boone. Musgraves and Shofner, and J. E. Reese are merchants. It is about three miles from Mulberry Village. Blanche was first known by postoffice as Pleasant Plains. Samuel Parker was the first postmaster, and W. W. Petty the first merchant in 1849. It began to assume the proportions of a village after the war, and is now a pleasant and thriving little town. Dr. J. C. Coats is the merchant and physician. There is located here Pleasant Plains Lodge, No. 305, F. & A. M., and a church. There are several county stores near by.

Smithland was known as George's Store until 1884. At first the postoffice was on the north side of Elk River, having been established about 1840. It was moved to "Arnold's grocery" about 1850, and there Smithland has been built. This was a notorious fighting place. Taylor & McLaughlin and R. Smith are the present merchants. An I. O. O. F. Lodge, Sereno No. 195, is located at Smithland.

Camargo was established in 1849 and was a flourishing village prior to the war. John Caughran was the first merchant. Others have been Nicks & Webb, J. N. & W. A. Stallings, Wm. Ashworth, Samuel Dehaven and J. A. Corn.

Lincoln is settled mainly by northern people who went to that place after the war. J. F. Montgomery, J. R. McCown, J. E. Ramsey and J. C. McClellan have been merchants there. In 1837 —— Crosby started a small spinning factory at Oregon. In 1839 it was bought by Henry Warren, was afterward operated by H. & T. K. Warren, and is now operated by Henry Warren & Son. This factory has about 1,000 spindles, a cotton-gin and a flouring and grist-mill attached, being an investment of about $20,000 capital. Oregon is three and one-half miles from Flintville, its shipping point. It has a Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

Elora was formerly known as Baxter Station, and only dates its beginning since the building of the Fayetteville & Decherd Branch Railroad. It is in the southeast corner of the county, and is the proposed junction of the Winchester & Alabama Railroad with the one now existing from Fayetteville to Decherd. J. B. Hamilton and W. M. Parker & Co. are the merchants.

Flintville, twelve miles from Fayetteville, on the Nashville & Chattanooga Railroad,

HISTORY

OF

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FROM THE EARLIEST TIME TO THE PRESENT; TOGETHER WITH AN HISTORICAL AND A BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH OF GILES, LINCOLN, FRANKLIN AND MOORE COUNTIES; BESIDES A VALUABLE FUND OF NOTES, REMINISCENCES, OBSERVATIONS, ETC., ETC.

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(married 2nd) Oct 16, 1921 to Blanche Sneed

Grandparents:
Father's Father: Samuel Little
Father's Mother: Betsy Boone
Mother's Father: _____ Clary
Mother's Mother: Nancy Wright

Parents:
Father: William Little (born)Jan 29, 1806 N.C., (died) Sept 1, 1875 Bedford County, Tenn.
Mother: Lucy Caroline Clary (born) Feb 4, 1818 Ala., (died) Jan 28, 1876 Bedford County, Tenn. They were married July 9, 1837

14 children of William Little & Lucy C. Clary:
William Clary, (born) Jan 14, 1839, (married) Jan 8, 1874 Jennie C. Lipscomb, (died) Oct 27, 1880
Hugh Lawson White, (born) June 21, 1840, (died) Aug 13, 1883
Elizabeth Tennessee, (born) Sept 28, 1842, (married) Nov 5, 1868 William F. Clary, (died) Jan 23, 1928
Mary Jane, (born) Nov 14, 1844, (married) Dec 5, 1867 Robert P. Frierson, (died) June 17, 1935
Nancy Evaline, (born) July 21, 1846, (died) June 7, 1848
Thomas Cheatham (born) Mar 17, 1848, (married) Dec 10, 1868 Agnes Goodrich, (died) Jan 21, 1933
Sarah Ann (born) Jan 16, 1850, (married) Nov 22, 1881 Richard A. Wilkes, (died) April 9, 1883
Benjamine, (born) May 9, 1851, (died) June 19, 1867
Frances Caroline, (born) June 24, 1853, (married May 23, 1878 John R. Wallace, (died) Nov 16, 1914
Emma Catherine, (born) March 7, 1855, (died) July 10, 1855
Henry Clay, (born) Nov 4, 1856, (died) Aug 30, 1895
Eliza Battle, (born) Nov 20, 1858, (married) May 25, 1881 Gordentia W. Clark, (died) Dec 2, 1940
Martha, (born) April 14, 1860, (died) April 20, 1860
John, (born) July 3, 1861, (died) July 28, 1900

Grandparents:
Father's Father: William C. Goodrich, (born) Brunswick Co., VA.
Father's Mother: Martha
Mother's Father: Isaac Short (born) Virginia
Mother's Mother: Susan Toone (born) Mecklenburg Co., VA, (married) 1-12-1795

Parents:
Father: John Goodrich (born) Aug 20th, 1807 Brunswick Co., Va., (died) Nov 22nd, 1857 Fayetteville, Lincoln Co., Tenn.
Mother: Mildred Short, (born) Nov 20th, 1808 Virginia, (died) Dec 8th, 1872 Fayetteville, Lincoln Co., Tenn.
They were married Sept 1st, 1831 in Williamson Co., Tenn., by Rev. John Atkinson

Children:
Susan Ann Martha Goodrich, (born) July 6th, 1832 Lincoln Co., Tenn., (died) Nov 21st, 1832
William C. Goodrich, (born) Dec 6th, 1834, Lincoln Co., Tenn., (died) Nov 8th, 1835
John Calvin Goodrich (born) Oct 21st, 1836 Fayetteville, Lincoln Co., Tenn., (married) Nov 15, 1857 C. H. Massey, (married 2nd) June 3, 1866 Ann A.(H) Fenny, (died) Feb 3rd, 1886
Unnamed Son (born) March 11, 1839 Fayetteville, Lincoln, Tenn., (died) June 15th, 1839
George Jones Goodrich (born) Dec 1st 1840 Fayetteville, Lincoln Co., Tenn., (married) April 15th, 1861 to Sarah W. Hatch, (died) Oct 10th, 1902
James Fulton Goodrich (born) May 27th, 1844 Fayetteville, Lincoln Co., Tenn., (married) Nov 15th, 1865 Sarah A. Clark, (died) Dec 7th, 1878
Agnes Elizabeth Goodrich (born) Sept 15th, 1846 Fayetteville, Lincoln Co., Tenn., (married) Dec 10th, 1868 Thomas C. Little, (died) Jan 13, 1911

Jackson Bible Records

Bible in possession of Miss Altie Wagster, Shelbyville, Tennessee, in 1965.

Avery Jackson was born Oct 6th, 1811
Prisal-a Jackson was born April the 2nd 1821
Mary E. Jackson was born Sept the 5th, 1841
James William Jackson was born Feb the 26th 1847
Nancy Chany Jackson was born June the 10th 1848
Sarah Marth(a) Jackson was born Sept the 13th, 1851

Avery Jackson departed this life March the 13th, 1851
Mary E. Jackson departed this life August the 8th, 1856
James William Jack(son) departed this life October 10th, 1858
Mary Chany Jackson departed this life Dec the 17th 1872
Martha Jane Warren was borned November the 1st 1872 and departed this life February the 4th 1873. 3 months, 3 days.

Roland Newsom was borned December 15th, 1838
Beriller Ann Newsom was borned October the 9th, 1843
Fannie Othelios Newsom borned January the 30th, 1860
Chany Manettie Newsom was borned June 27, 1864
Loucindia Priscillia Newsom was borned March the 29th, 1866
Hattie Holt Newsom was borned the 10th of July, 1870
Mal Dora Newsom was borned April the 22nd, 1871

Priciler Loucy Warren was borned January the 26th, 1861
Pollie Mozell Warren was borned September the 9th 1863

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Andrew J. Warren was borned January the 22nd 1866
Daniel Warren was born March the 6th, 1791, died January the 8th 1876
P. C. Gilbert was borned Dec 26, 1849
J. F. Gilbert was borned May the 30th, 1876
Erenest Eldon Wagster was born March the 8, 1898
Amos Morriss was born Nov 1st 1839 (this was crossed out)
Nancy Ann Warren was borned December 4th, 1865
Avery Warren was borned February the 28th, 1867
Prisalera Warn departed this life April 22, 1884
Tomas Jefson Prosser and DeMatt Dorah Newsom was married November the 21, 1886
Fannie May Prosser was born August the 26, 1887
Archa flough Prosser was born November the 6, 1889

America Isham Newsom was borned the 22nd of Oct 1872
Virgal Terry Newsom was borned November 23, 1876
Hattie Emma Newsom was borned the 30 of November 1879
Hattie Holt Newsom departed this life October 23, 1875
El Tory Molia Mozell Mat Elmy Newsom was born August the 1, 1883
Nora Ann Newsom was born April 30, 1895

Alta May Wagster was born September 29th 1909
P. C. Gilbert and Percilla Warren were married July the 15th, 1875
Thomas Jefson Prosser babby boy was born November the 2, 1892 and died November the 13, 1892

Mary E. Jackson was married January 6, 1856
Berebie Ann Jackson was married April 17, 1859
Matter C. Newsom the was maird September 11, 1881
Addie Ann Towry was born Oct 24, 1882
Acten Sehafter Towry was borne July the 25, 1884, dide September the 22, 1885

J. L. Steelman was borne the year 1860
Jimmie B. Steelman was borne November the 20, 1886
Martter Towry departed this life December the 1892
Ann Newsom departed this life June the 8th, 1898
Roling Louis Newsom was borne March the 28, 1898
Flory May Towery was borne November the 24, 1891

B. J. Wagster born May 31, 1912
Elea R. Menta Wagster born November 12, 1919
George Thomas twins babbys was borne february the 17th, 1899 and departed this life february the 17th, 1899
Huston Wagster was born September the 29, 1903

Beriller Ann Jackson was married to Roland Newsom the 17th day of April 1859

Sons of W. N. W. & H. E. W.: (Wagster)
Earnest E. Wagster born March the 8, 1898
Dolphus Wagster born May the 20, 1901
Huston I. Wagster was borned September the 29, 1903
Paul Gleen Wagster was borned January the 22, 1905
sister was born May the 26, 1907

Hague Bible

In possession of Mrs. Travis Petty, Shelbyville, Tennessee.

William Lee Hague was born March 20, 1804, died August 8, 1871 of dropsy
Lillis Louisa Houston was born Oct 22, 1814, died Oct 6, 1887 of consumption

William Lee Hague and Lillis Louisa Houston were married Jan 16, 1838

Martha E. Hague was born March 9, 1847
James Carroll Pitts was born March 1, 1835, died March 9, 1889
Lee A. Pitts, son of J. C. & M. E. Pitts, born May 23, 1867
Della Pitts born March 22, 1869
Mattie Pitts born Oct 23, 1870
Clyde Pitts born Nov 17, 1872, died July 29, 1939
L. J. Pitts born Feb 18, 1874
H. W. Pitts born Dec 6, 1875, died Sept 9, 1926
Laura E. Pitts born Aug 21, 1877
Houston R. Pitts born July 15, 1881
Aurelia S. Pitts born Aug 24, 1883
Nancy E. Pitts born June 28, 1885

McNatt Bible

In possession of Mrs. Travis Petty, Shelbyville, Tennessee

Lee Berrie McNatt and Mattie Bettie Pitts were united in Holy Matrimony at her home near Mimosa on the second day of July in the year of our Lord 1889

Charles Steven Hart born Charity, Moore Co., Dec 6, 1926
Wanda Joyce Bateman born Booneville, Lincoln Co., Tenn., Nov 20, 1928
Juanita Sue Petty born Charity, Moore Co., Jan 28, 1930, married March 14, 1948
Lee Edward Hart born Charity, Moore Co., Feb 10, 1933, married Nov 3rd, 1951

Bible of Henry Clay Sorrells continued

Grand Parents
Father's Father William Sorrels
" Mother Nellie King
Mother's Father W. Bonner McKenzie
" Mother Annie E. Shull

Children of Henry C. Sorrells and 1st wife Paralee Josephine Renfro

1. Daisy May Sorrells born May 26-1881 married Feb. 4, 1906 to Jackson Armstrong who died October 10th 1909
2. Esther Nellie Sorrells born March 6th 1886 married October 26th 1906 to R.B. Scott.

Child by 2nd wife Fannie Boone McKenzie

3. Joe Jefferson Sorrells born May 30 1892 married Aug. 21, 1912 to Clara Wagster who was born September 9, 1893

Helen C. McKenzie was born Jan. 2, 1897 (daughter of Edwin Davis McKenzie.

Grandchildren
Grace Josephine Armstrong born October 8th 1907 (daughter of Daisy May)
Frances Evelyn Sorrels born Sept. 18, 1913 (daughter of Joe Jefferson)
Henry Sorrells Warren born Feb. 21, 1930 (son of Frances Evelyn Sorrells Warren)
Henry Sorrells Warren married Mildred Eslick
their children 1. Marcia Ann Warren born Nov. 29, 1955
2. Joe David Warren born Nov. 30, 1959

FAMILY HISTORY
Paralee Josephine Renfro was born Feb. 23, 1856 Married to H.C. Sorrels Feb. 27, 1879
Paralee Josephine Renfro Sorrells died March 20, 1889

Henry Clay Sorrells Born March 1, 1855 Died october 1, 1923

Fannie Boon Sorrells Born June 6th, 1869 Died May 7, 1941
Daisy May Sorrels Born May 26, 1881 Died September 23, 1964
Esther Nellie Sorrells Born March 6, 1886 Died Feb. 20, 1972
Joe Jefferson Sorrells Born May 30, 1892 Died Jan. 1, 1957

(Maternal Grandparents of Mrs. Clara Wagster Sorrells)
In Loving Remembrance D.A. Gilbert Died Feb. 19, 1902 age 81 years

wife Lucretia (Roberts) Gilbert Died March 24, 1893 Aged 72 yrs 5 mos 17 das

Obituary
Lucretia Gilbert wife of D.A. Gilbert, departed this life on March 24, 1893, aged 72 years.....united with the Baptist Church at Hannah's Gap, Lincoln County, Tenn. when about 16 years old.....She leaves a husband and nine children... interred in family burying ground in the neighborhood of the Church, Pastor McNatt conducting the funeral services (by) R.A. Wagster

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BIBLE OF JOHN R. McNATT

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Memoranda

Births
Daniel Warren October the 22. 1829
Elizabeth Warren Oct the 18. 1827
Annalza McNatt July the 28. 1865 (Mother written on side. Ed.)
John R. McNatt January the. 17 . 1867 (Father " " " ")
Jimmie McNatt. Oct. the 16. 1887
Willaim W McNatt feb the 6 1894
John A. McNatt March the 3 1895 (___plicant " " " ")

Deaths
Daniel Warren March the 28. 1883
Willaim W. McNatt. March. the. 26. 1894
Elisabeath Warren March the 28. 1906
Annaliza McNatt Nov. 21, 1927 (Mother written on side. Ed.)

Deaths
John McNatt June 22 1880
Mary McNatt March 1 1902
John M McNatt Oct 6th 1858
Elisabith McNatt Apil the 22 1875
W.R. McNatt. April the 7. 1899
Anie W ruth McNatt Diad June 8 1923
F.S. Rees July .1. 1900
Fanny Winstead April. 8. 1871
Samuel Winstead. Sept the 1 1861
Milicid. Rees. April the. 13. 1905
Yu etha Phelps Jan. 10. 1901

BIBLE OF HENRY CLAY SORRELLS

In possession of Mrs. Clara Wagster Sorrells, 605 1st Ave. Fayetteville, Tenn.
Published by (not shown) date 1907
Copied by Ruth C. Morgan & Wilma M. Swing, Clara Sorrells

What therefore God hath joined together let not man put asunder.
This is to certify that H.C. Sorrels and Fannie B. McKenzie were united by me in Holy matrimony at Bellville on the 27th day of April in the year of our Lord One Thousand 8 Hundred and ninety in the presence of
Witnesses: W.B. McKenzie, N.A. Sorrels
Signed: Rev. Tigert

FAMILY HISTORY
Ephraim King and Jane Harkins were parents of Nellie King

D(aniel) B(oone) Shull and Julia Ann Davis were parents of Ann E. Shull
Note: Daniel Boone Shull is great grandson of Daniel and Rebecca Bryan Boone. D.B. Shull's 2nd wife unknown his 3rd wife was Sallie Higgins. He married Julia Davis in Clarke Co., Ky. (data by Ruth C. Morgan.)

Bible of Henry Clay Sorrells continued:

(Paternal grandparents of Mrs. Clara Wagster Sorrells)
In loving Remembrance of Wm. Wagster Died Feb. 5, 1900
and Wife Mary Ann Wagster Died July 30, 1894 age 58 yrs.
11 mos 28 das
NOTE: That in parenthesis added by Ruth C. Morgan

BIBLE OF ISAAC GATTIS

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Publisher: Only Family Record Sheets remain and kept in Bible of R.N. McClure
Copied by Mabel Abbott Tucker and Jonie Kathryn Gattis Cowley

Births

John T. Gattis was borned Sept the 29 1880
(Martha)Georgia Gattis was borned Oct the 16 1895
Sarah E. Gattis was borned Januay the 8, 1883
Myrtle Gattis was Borned Januay the 11, 1888
(Flora died as infant)

Deaths

Lula E. Gattis Died October 7, 1881
Walter V. Gattis Died Nov. 15 1881
Ida V. Gattis Died May the 15, 1888

NOTE: by Mrs. Cowley
"John T., Lula E., Walter V., Ida V., Sarah E., & Myrtle were children of Issac Gattis and Mary Reed.
Martha Georgia Gattis & Jonie Kathryn Gattis were children of Isaac Gattis and Sara Elizabeth McClure-their only two children."

BIBLE OF MRS. SAMUEL PRATER COWLEY

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Published by American Bible Society (no date)
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FAMILY RECORD

Marriages

Samuel Prater Cowley and Jonie Kathrine Gattis married Nov. 5, 1916 at Mr. Marion Counts home in Moore County

Births of Children

Paul Gattis Cowley Aug. 18-1918
Charles Milton Cowley June 25-1920
Evelyn Francis Cowley Aug 7 1922
Hannah Elizabeth Cowley Oct. 26-1924
Anita Ruth Cowley May 11-1927
Joyce Marie Cowley Nov. 6-1930
Melba Ann Cowley May 7-1934
Lillie Kathryne Cowley April 9-1937

Bible of Andrew J. Warren continued

Olie Eles Warren and Vear Andson joined in holy matrianary the November the 24 1917

BIRTHS:

Gorge Thomos died 26 of February 1934
Daniel Warren Born March 6th 1791
Pricler Warren Born April 2 1821
Priciler Warren Born January 26 1861
Mollie M. Warren Born September 9th 1863
And J Warren Born January 22 1866
Berilla Ann Jackson Born Oct 9 1843
Jane W (or James W) Jackson Born Feb 26 1847
Nancy C Jackson Born June 10 1849
Sarah M Jackson Born Sept 13 1851
W C Wagster was Born July 6th 1856
Mollie M. Warren was Born Sept 15 1863
William N Wagster was Born feb 15th 1878
P C Gilbert was Born Decm 26the 1849
Priciler Warren was Born Jan the 26 1861
Jimy frankling Gilbert Born May the 30 1876
Hattie Lee Wagster Born Aug the 28 1881
Noma Jane Warren Born January 20 1892
Mary M Warrin Born November 21 1866
Mattie May Wagster Born July the 10 1884
Bunia Vestle Warren borne March the 18 1886
Gracie juell polix Born October 26 1922
(page)
Lee A. Warren died Dec 17, 1961
Emly Thomas died January 1, 1940
Lela Warren Morton passed away March 14, 1963
Bessie Olar Morton Born the August 20, 1914
Willim gorge Elmond was born the May the 27 1904
Desser O Dell Warren was born August the 11 1889
Buna vestle Warren was born March the 18 1886
Lee Andrew Warren was born May the 20 1887
Olie Eles Warren and Vear Andson was joined in holy matromory November the 24 1917
(slip of paper found in Bible)
Departed this world Margaret Warren March 2, 1942
(at end of Old Testament)
William Joe ray pitts born Nov 15 1931
Ramond Pitts born November 7 1921 and died the 20th November
Albert Eles Warren born Oct 21- 1930
(slip of paper in Bible)

Farewell my wife and my children all
From you a father Christ hath called
Grieve not for me it would be in vain
To call me back to you again

(unsigned)

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Petersburg #19

John B. Foster
1852-1910
&
Ann Foster
1855-1933

Dolphus G., Son of
W.B.& Lena Foster
Nov 18, 1909
Jan 3, 1910

Lena Bonner Foster
May 14, 1892
Dec 11, 1941

Henry Freeman
Mar 1, 1885
Jul 7, 1959
&
Nancy Ann Freeman
Jul 1, 1891
Feb 13, 1969

John R. Freeman
1890-1967
(Davis-Ralston FH)

Edna Ethel Freeman
1895-1968

S. Carson Foster
1886-1957
&
Helen Knight Foster
1891-1946

John W. Foster
Sep 19, 1883
Jan 3, 1960

Lara Luna Fisher
Jul 16, 1895
Dec 30, 1956

Robert Lee Foster
Jul 24, 1879
Nov 16, 1914

Virgie Lou Foster
Jan 4, 1883
Mar 6, 1938

W.R.Foster
1867-1940

Gotha E. Foster
Nov 1, 1871
Aug 20, 1899

Alva C., Son of
W.R.& G.E.Foster
Nov 29, 1897
Aug 24, 1899

Tula Smith Foster
1876-1967

J.W.Foster
1852-1898

T.L.Foster
Nov 10, 1861
Jun 8, 1925

Kathryn"Kate"
Hanaway Foster
1876-1924

Will A. Cowan
Mar 15, 1862
Oct 17, 1950
&
Mattie Morton Cowan
Jun 6, 1870
Dec 6, 1929

James L. Gilbert
1851-1923
&
Effie Gilbert
1861-1925

A.F.Gilbert
Dec 20, 1843
Oct 8, 1921

J.F.Gilbert son of Peter C. Gilbert
1876-1929

Ethel F. Gilbert
1881-1970

Mary Ethel Gilbert
(no dates-
Gowen-Smith FH)

Harvey Gibson
1867-1946
&
Ezella Gibson
1886-1967

Allen Gibson
1903-1962
&
Olla Mae Gibson
1900-

Allen Dalton Gibson
B&D-Jan 7, 1931

J. Henry Greer
1870-1940
&
Lillie J. Greer
1873-1957

Thomas Franklin Groce
Sep 2, 1861
Nov 24, 1927
&
Sue Ella Groce
Oct 6, 1863
Sep 12, 1940

Imogene, Dau of
Mr & Mrs P.O.Groce
Aug 2, 1933

William Thomas Groce
May 19, 1893
Mar 20, 1967
&
Gladys Grammer Groce
Jun 12, 1906

Billie Grammer, Son
of Mr & Mrs W.T.Groce
Sep 18, 1925
Apr 19, 1932

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(Henry Warren family continued)

Sarah was born 10 Jan. 1810; married Beckworth J. Tiller
Nancy born 4 Jan. 1812; married Thomas J. Payne
Henry born 2 Feb. 1814; married Mary Bright on Oct. 5, 1840 in Lincoln Co., Tenn. He died 22 July 1895
Benjamin was born 13 July 1816; married Emily Parks on 22 Feb. 1843
Emaline was born 13 April 1819
Caroline was born 27 July 1821; married 3 Aug. 1848 to Mathew M. Cowley.

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DANIEL WARREN FAMILY

Contributed by Jane Warren Waller, Seabrook, Texas.

Daniel Warren was born March 6, 1791 in N.C. He came to Lincoln Co., Tenn. about 1811-12. He was married to Nancy (?Jackson), who was born 1790 in N.C. and died Dec. 1859 in Lincoln Co. Daniel is buried in Warren Cemetery in Moore Co., Tenn.

Children of Daniel and Nancy Warren

1. John born 15 Nov. 1813 LCT-married Sarah Prosser 27 Dec. 1851 LCT-He died 14 July 1889. Their children: Salina C. Warren Marr, Nancy A. Warren Redd, Daniel F., Susan A. Warren Hudlow, John W.

2. Thomas born 1815-married (1) (name unknown)(2) Ann Eliza, daughter of William and Mayzie Dance Bedford, on 20 Mar. 1844 in LCT. Thomas died at Camp Morton, Ind. March 1862, as Prisoner of War, while serving with 41st Tenn. Vol. Co. A. Ann E. Bedford Warren was born 25 June 1824 and died in LCT Oct. 1869.

   Children of Thomas and 1st wife: Johnson, John, and Jane Warren Marr Melton.

   Children of Thomas and Ann: Thomas, William, Daniel Webster, Elijah J., James Alexander, Stephen Wylie, Benjamin E., Nancy and Sarah.

3. William was born 12 Aug. 1817; married Elizabeth Burns on 23 Aug. 1842 LCT; He died 13 Feb. 1900 Giles Co., Tn. Their children: Daniel, Arah, Mariah Warren Bartlett, Nancy L. Nicholson, Andrew, John, Elizabeth, Mary A.

4. Arah born 1821-25; married Nicholas Burns on 13 Aug. 1839 LCT-She died before Apr. 1848. Their children: Sarah Jane Burns Williams, Cynthia Burns Prosser, Henry and John. The sons died young.

5. Jessie born 1827; married Rebecca Bedwell on 4 Apr. 1843 LCT-He was living as late as 1886. Their children: Nancy Jane Warren Towry, Thomas, Daniel, John W., Susan Warren Bartlett, Rebecca Elizabeth Warren Davis.

6. Elijah born 25 June 1826 LCT; married Elizabeth Rainey 13 Jan. 1849 LCT. He died 21 Feb. 1913.

(Warren family continued)

7. Daniel was born 22 Oct. 1829-married Elizabeth Felps on 17 Dec. 1851 LCT. He died 28 Mar. 1883. Elizabeth was born 18 Oct. 1827 and died 28 Mar. 1906. Their children: Frances L. Warren Rutledge, Nancy C. Warren, Mary Ellen Warren Casteel, Sarah E. Warren Moore, John Charles, William D., A. Eliza Warren McNatt, Pinkie C. Warren Bartlett, Sylvania Kathyrn Warren Hazelwood, Permelia Warren Warren, James P.

8. Sarah born 1834-married Jefferson Phelps on 23 Nov. 1852 LCT. Their children: Nancy E., Mary J. Phelps Warren, Sarah A., Thomas J., Daniel A., A.E. (a female), W.D. (a male), and F.S.C. (a female)

9. Nancy was born 1838. Married (1) William H. Davidson on 20 Sept. 1856 LCT. He died before 24 Nov. 1866 LCT. She married (2) James K. Martin 2 July 1868 LCT. Nancy's children: John L. Davidson and B.M. Davidson.

On 12 February 1860 Daniel Warren married for the second time Priscilla Newsom Jackson. She was the daughter of Lewis Newsom and the widow of Avery Jackson. Priscilla was born 2 April 1821 and died 22 April 1884. Daniel Warren died 8 Jan. 1876 and his Will is in Moore Co., Tenn. Their children-

10. Priscilla Lucy was born 26 January 1861-married Peter C. Gilbert in Moore Co., Tn. 15 July 1875. Their children: James Franklin, Alta Gilbert Roberts, Ruth Gilbert Hickman, Arah Gilbert, Ira Gilbert Moore, Estil, Willie, Felix and Edith Gilbert Gilliam.

11. Mary Mozell was born 12 Sept. 1862-married W.C. Wagster 4 Dec. 1876 Moore Co., Tn. She died 12 Jan. 1956. Their children: Annie Ethel Wagster Warren, Berry J. and Mattie Wagster Marr.

12. Andrew Johnson was born 22 Jan. 1866-married Margaret Thomas, Bedford Co., Tn. 18 Sept. 1883. He died 26 Jan. 1938. Their children: Buna Vestle Warren Morton, Lee Andrew, Lelar Mozel Warren, Mary Hattie Warren, Olar Warren Waid, Eunice Warren Pitts, Ollie Ellis Warren, Desser Odell Warren Pollack, Elmond A. Warren.

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A McKINNEY FAMILY TREE

Contributed by Veron D. McKinney, Rowland Heights, Ca.

Charles C. McKinney, son of Rane McKinney and grandson of Charles McKinney, who died in Mercer Co., Ky. in 1798, was born 1788 in Ky. He married Mary Aiken Russel on July 7, 1809 in Mercer Co., Ky.

Fayetteville Observer 2 Apr. 1863

Mrs. Mary Akin McKinney, wife of Dr. Charles McKinney, was born in Petersburg, Va. 5 Oct. 1790, married in

Melinda Caroline
Gilbert/Saml Nix

FAMILY GROUP No. _____ Husband's Full Name Samuel Nix

This Information Obtained From: 1850 Bedford Co. TN Census

Husband's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Husband
Birth	Ca 1822			TN	
Chr'nd					
Mar.	20 Jan 1842		Lincoln	TN	
Death					
Burial					

Places of Residence

Occupation Church Affiliation Military Rec.

Other wives, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

His Father Mother's Maiden Name

Wife's Full Maiden Name Melinda Caroline Gilbert

Wife's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Wife
Birth	Ca 1824			TN	
Chr'nd					
Death					
Burial					

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Address

City, State

Date 1994

Places of Residence

Occupation if other than Housewife Church Affiliation

Other husbands, if any. No. (1) (2) etc. Make separate sheet for each mar.

Her Father John Gilbert Mother's Maiden Name

Sex	Children's Names in Full (Arrange in order of birth)	Children's Data	Day Month Year	City, Town or Place	County or Province, etc.	State or Country	Add. Info. on Children
1	John Gilbert Nix	Birth	Ca 1844				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
2	Sarah Gilbert	Birth	Ca 1846				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
3	Isaac Nix	Birth	Ca 1853				
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
4		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
5		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
6		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
7		Birth		Melinda may have been			
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.		dead by 1850 because			
		Death		Samuel T. Nix is on			
		Burial		the census with wife			
8		Birth		Levina and an 11 yr.			
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.		old girl (Sarah Dodson)			
		Death		who is possibly a stepdau.			
		Burial					
9		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					
10		Birth					
	Full Name of Spouse*	Mar.					
		Death					
		Burial					

*If married more than once, each mar. (1) (2) etc. and list in "Add. info. on children" column. Use reverse side for additional children, other notes, references or information.

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Dear Melanie:

I apolozige for taking so long to respond to your letter, which was written last October. When I received it, we were right in the middle of a four month construction project on our house. I replaced my computer system in January and that took about a month to get up and running. I also teach two days a week at a local universtity and I was preparing for a "new" course last fall. That said, I am delighted to find another person working on this line.

I have been in contact with several other Gilbert-Roberts-Smith researchers. Maurice Hughston is now dead, by the way. The person who probably has done the most research on Gilberts in SC is John Gilbert of Columbia, SC. He has worked on the Gilberts and Bourlands (who lived down the road) forever and is probably the eventual source for anything earlier than the Rev. John Gilbert. The problem is that he really sends me information peicemail and, while I think he is accurate that we descent from William Gilbert who married Sarah McCandless, I believe there is a missing generation, the father of the Rev. John Gilbert.
I have a huge Gilbert file, and I will be happy to photocopy it for you. Both Gilbert & Bourland family had a lot of land and the families clearly knew one another, as shown in deeds.

The name Sallie Bourland comes from Mr. Gilbert in SC. I think that is accurate, although there is some disagreement over whether she descends from William or John Bourland, who I believe are proved brothers. Mr. Gilbert believes she descends from John, because the Sarah Grace named in William Bourland's will would have been to young to have had children by the time Ambrose B. Gilbert was born.. When I entered my Bourland data, I wasn't careful enough to check all the sources, so that is why my sheet is a crossed-out mess. You have in your records that Ambrose BOURLAND Gilbert was their eldest son. That "Bourland" as a middle name was written in his family Bible. I think I have a photocopy of that which I think I got from Maurice. I can't imagine that she would give a middle name of Bourland if that wasn't a family surname.

There is some information about early Gilbert's settling in Tennessee that I need to track down. It could establish the link between William Gilbert and the Rev. John Gilbert.

I am enclosing my FGS and also transcriptions of two Bibles that my brother and I ahve.

There is also a wonderful document on D.A. Gilbert, who filed a claim against the U.S. after the Civil War for horses that were taken from him. In order to receive compensation, one had to prove !) that he never supported the Confederacy and 2) that the horses, or whatever, were taken for government use. Of the many claims filed, D.A.'s was one of the few that were declared valid. Do you have proof of the Addison, by the way? I've never seen it anywhere. Mr. Gilbert in SC says the Addison is correct, but I wish I could find it written somewhere. And why would they give him "Doctor" as a first name? We'll never know, I'm sure.

My great grandmother, Alice E. Gilbert Morton, was a beneficiary of DA's will. She was a young widow with several daughters to support.

Could you please tell me more about the Isaac Roberts whose daughter Sarah married a John Gilbert. We probably need to check wills and deeds for ourselves in NC. Was there a John Gilbert, wife Sarah, still in SC after our Gilberts moved to Tennessee?

Couldn't you just shake our ancestors. They never suspected how nosy we descendants were going to be or they would have been much more explicit!

Thanks again for writing and I hope we can work this puzzle out together. I will respond to my most recent letter from John Gilbert and will see what else he sends. I do think I need to send you copies of what he's sent so far and other material I have. I am happy to see that your FGS fill in some blanks I have. I haven't updated my FGS before sending them to you.

Sincerely,

Patsy West

Encl: Gilbert FGS, 2 Bibles transcripts

P.S. Where does Sally M. Morgan come in? Who is she? Must be a clerical error???

HUSBAND: Rev. John **Gilbert**
Born: circa 1774 (?) NC[1]
Marr:
Died: **Jun 1842** Lincoln Co., TN
Father: William **Gilbert**
Mother: Sarah **McCandless** } most likely grandparents

WIFE: Sarah Grace "Sallie" **Bourland**
Born: after 17~~55~~80 (?) Berkeley (Lauren, s Co.), SC is probable[2]
Died: **after 1842** Giles / Lincoln, Co., TN
Father: William **Bourland** Sr. ~~Wm~~ John or Wm Bourland??
Mother: Mary (m. **Bourland**)

CHILDREN (X = ancestor of preparer)

1 M
Name: Ambrose Bourland **Gilbert**[3] ← Bourland as middle name appears in Bible he kept
Born: **circa 1806** NC[4]
Died: **17 Aug 1849** Tishamingo Co., MS[5]

2 M X
Name: John C. **Gilbert** Sr.
Born: **circa 1810**
Marr: **20 Jun 1833** Bedford Co., TN[6]
To: Rachael **Roberts**
Died: **before 1850** Bedford Co., TN[7]

3 M
Name: Washington Alexander **Gilbert**[8]
Born: 28 Sep 1811 NC?
Marr: **13 Jan 1842** Rogersville, Lauderdale Co., AL[9]
To: Sarah E. **Oliver**
Died: **30 Aug 1894** Lincoln Co., TN

4 M X
Name: D.A. "Doc" **Gilbert**[10]
Born: 6 Jun 1821 Bedford Co., TN or NC[11]
Marr: **circa 1839**
To: Lucretia **Roberts**
Died: **19 Feb 1902** Lincoln Co., TN
Buried: **1902** Lincoln Co., TN[12]
Prob: **3 Mar 1902** Lincoln Co., TN[13]
Census: **27 Sep 1850** Lincoln Co., TN[14]

REFERENCES

[1]Info. from Bobbie McDowell, 17550 Hwy 15, Ripley, MS 38663; 7/92.

[2]Father owns land there by 1769.

Prepared by: Patricia Ann **West**
Rel. to husband: 4G-GrandDaughter Rel. to wife: 4G-GrandDaughter

HUSBAND: Rev. John **Gilbert**
WIFE: Sarah Grace "Sallie" **Bourland**

REFERENCES (Continued)

[3]Inf. from Mary Tucker; Rt. 4, Box 211-A, Tyler, TX 75703; 1990.

[4]m1 to Sarah Wright, 20 Jul 1826 - 8 chn; m2 Mrs. Mary Houston, Mar 1847.

[5]Lincoln Co., TN to 1841; Limestone Co., AL by 1841, later Lauderdale Co.

[6]Announcement in Nashville Banner & Daily Advertiser in Marsh.

[7]Wife & 3 chn. lived w/ John & Sarah Roberts in 1850 census.

[8]Fam. Bible of W.A. and Sarah E. Oliver Gilbert. Maurice Hughston, '92.

[9]She was from Alabama, he from Tennessee at time of marriage.

[10]Received compensation from U.S. after Civil War; claim #955, Nat'l Arch.

[11]Civil War claim says Lincoln Co. all his life. 1850 Census says b NC.

[12]Gilbert Cemetery.

[13]Will Book 5, p. 185, Lincoln Co., TN. Will signed 19 Dec 1900.

[14]Subdivision 2, Household 491, p. 34. Value $500.

HUSBAND: John C. **Gilbert** Sr.
Born: **circa 1810**
Marr: **20 Jun 1833** Bedford Co., TN[1]
Died: **before 1850** Bedford Co., TN[2]
Father: Rev. John **Gilbert**
Mother: Sarah Grace "Sallie" **Bourland**

WIFE: Rachael **Roberts**[3]
Born: **7 Mar 1812** GA[4]
Died: **1 Aug 1898**[5]
Census: **1850** Bedford Co., TN[6]
Father: John **Roberts** Sr.
Mother: Sarah **Smith**

CHILDREN (X = ancestor of preparer)

1 F X
Name: Sarah M. **Gilbert**[7]
Born: **21 Apr 1834** Bedford Co., TN
Marr: **18 Jul 1850** Lincoln or Be, dford Co., TN[8]
To: William C. **Morton**
Died: **5 May 1901** Lincoln Co., TN

2 F
Name: Mary Ann "Meecie" **Gilbert**[9]
Born: **11 Aug 1835** Bedford Co., TN
Marr: **12 Aug 1852** TN
To: William C. **Wagster**
Died: **20 Jul 1894** Lincoln Co., TN[10]

3 F
Name: Atemisia **Gilbert**[9]
Born: **11 Aug 1835** Bedford Co., TN
Died: (deceased)

4 M
Name: A.B. **Gilbert**[9]
Born: **23 Mar 1838** Bedford Co., TN
Died: (deceased)

5 M
Name: John C. **Gilbert** Jr.[9]
Born: **8 Mar 1839** Bedford Co., TN
Died: (deceased)

REFERENCES

[1]Announcement in Nashville Banner & Daily Advertiser in Marsh.

[2]Wife & 3 chn. lived w/ John & Sarah Roberts in 1850 census.

Prepared by: Patricia Ann **West**
Rel. to husband: 3G-GrandDaughter Rel. to wife: 3G-GrandDaughter

HUSBAND: John C. **Gilbert** Sr.
WIFE: Rachael **Roberts**

REFERENCES (Continued)

[3]Smith-Roberts-Gi lbert Bible, 1792-1898, in custody of Patricia Ann **West**, Morton-Gilbert Bible, 1829-1919, in custody of Lucian Winfred **West** Jr.

[4]1850 census says b. GA; Check census thru 1890 for confirmation.

[5]Both Bibles list death.

[6]She & 3 chn in household of John & Sarah Roberts.

[7]S-R-G Bible ; M-G Bible.

[8]Married at home of her parents. Their mothers were sisters.

[9]S-R-G Bible.

[10]Foster Cemetery, Lincoln Co.

HUSBAND: William C. **Morton**[1]
Born: **27 May 1829** TN
Marr: **18 Jul 1850** Lincoln or Be, dford Co., TN[2]
Died: **24 Jul 1911** Lincoln Co., TN
Census: **30 Nov 1850** Bedford Co., TN[3]
Father: John C. **Morton** Sr.
Mother: Susannah **Roberts**

Sisters

WIFE: Sarah M. **Gilbert**[4]
Born: **21 Apr 1834** Bedford Co., TN
Died: **5 May 1901** Lincoln Co., TN
Father: John C. **Gilbert** Sr.
Mother: Rachael **Roberts**

CHILDREN (X = ancestor of preparer)

1 M
Name: John C. **Morton** (3d)[5]
Born: **13 May 1851** Lincoln Co., TN
Died: **19 Feb 1855** Lincoln Co., TN

2 F
Name: Buenavista V. **Morton**[5]
Born: **17 Sep 1854** Lincoln Co., TN
Marr: **26 Dec 1889** Lincoln Co., TN
To: S. A. **Crane**[5]
Died: **11 Jan 1909** Lincoln Co., TN

3 M
Name: Talitha Cami **Morton**
Born: **13 Dec 1857** Lincoln Co., TN
Died: **26 Jan 1878** Lincoln Co., TN

4 M
Name: Barachias C. **Morton**[5]
Born: **21 Jan 1859** Lincoln Co., TN
Marr:[6]
To: Ruth America **Gilbert**
Marr: **7 Oct 1890** Lincoln Co., TN
To: Mary **Sorrells**[7]
Died: **1935** Lincoln Co., TN[8]

5 M
Name: Zacharias S. **Morton**[5]
Born: **15 May 1861** Lincoln Co., TN
Marr: **7 Dec 1882** Lincoln Co., TN
To: Martha **Bledsoe**
Died: **16 Mar 1907** Lincoln Co., TN

6
Name: Thomas Roberts **Morton**[9]

Prepared by: Patricia Ann **West**
Rel. to husband: 2G-GrandDaughter Rel. to wife: 2G-GrandDaughter

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HUSBAND: William C. **Morton**
WIFE: Sarah M. **Gilbert**

CHILDREN (Continued)

M X	Born: **15 Dec 1865** Marr: **20 Nov 1887** To: Alice Eugenia **Gilbert**[11] Died: **13 Mar 1907**	Lincoln Co., TN Moore Co., TN[10] Huntsville, Madison Co., AL[12]
7 F	Name: Mary Ann **Morton**[5] Born: **23 Feb 1869** Died: (deceased)	 Lincoln Co., TN

REFERENCES

[1]Morton-Gilbert Bible, 1829-1919, in custody of Lucian Winfred **West** Jr. He & wife were first cousins.

[2]Married at home of her parents. Their mothers were sisters.

[3]#43, p. 402. Enumerated after John & Susannah Morton, #42, p. 402.

[4]Smith-Roberts-Gi lbert Bible, 1792-1898, in custody of Patricia Ann **West** ; M-G Bible.

[5]117.

[6]His second marriage, her first.

[7]Early Middle TN Marriages, Sistler, 1988.

[8]From tombstone, Old Orchard Cemetery.

[9]M-G Bible.

[10]Husband's father & wife's mother were double 1st cousins.

[11]Gertie B. Morton's records.

[12]Buried Maple Hill Cemetery, Huntsville, AL.

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Dear Mrs. Nolan,

What a pleasant surprise to hear from you. We had always thought the Gilbert family bible was in the hands of a MacNatt, but I never expected to hear from a real McCoy--even if the name is now spelled McNatt.

I am thrilled to find someone who has some knowledge of the Gilbert family. I got Maurice Hughston interested back in 1957 when I decided I should try to find out something about my ancestors. I made her the "Chief Honcho" and fed her the information. She did a good job with what she had.

There is one thing that bugs me, and I hope you have something definite on the subject: I cannot prove that Sarah Grace Bourland was the wife of John Gilbert. I had a classmate at Vanderbilt named Frank Grace. He said we were kin. This is a good lead that John Gilbert was the second husband of Sarah Grace Bourland, and that her first husband probably met an early fate.

I have not had time to research the Grace family. They were in Spartanburg County about that same time.

If you have any proof as to which Sarah or what Sarah the Rev. John Gilbert, [redacted], married, please let me know. It would be nice to nail it down.

With regard to your note from the Genealogy bulletin board: I ran across Caleb Gilbert in my research. See back of page you mailed me for copy of my note to me.

I apologies for not replying sooner, and this is only a partial reply without going into my jumble--I mean jungle--of notes which are poorly organized. I shall add to your material and write again when I can.

I am 77 years old, have been married 55. My hopes and plans and anticipations came to an end a little over two years ago when my wife had a stroke. She had a cerebral operation and has recovered nicely, but does no housework or cooking, and wants to go, go, go--all the time. I have little personal time.

I was successful in finding John Gilbert's father, William, and tracing him back to the Battle of Allamance, 1771. I have not researched further back, but this is a solid place to start. He fought with the British at that time, so there should be some records. He later joined "The Regulators" and is listed as a ~~hero~~ Soldier of the revolution.

I prepared the enclosed document on William Gilbert, b.circa 1735, d. 1790, and sent it to all who seemed interested. This copy has been re-edited. ~~I think~~ I sent Patti West a copy, ~~but I am not sure~~. I hope you like it.

Sincerely,

John

John C. Gilbert

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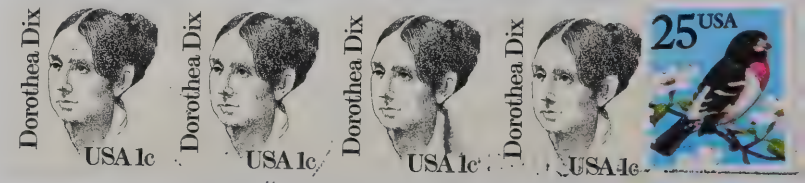

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JOHN GILBERT (RN=32)
(Last Updated 14 Nov 1989)

NUMBER OF MARRIAGES: 1
MARRIED TO: ELIZABETH ELISE ALSTON (RN=31)
ON: 1793
AT: TENN
STATUS: Married
DIED ON: of??1807
AT: JEFFERSON CO.,MS
FATHER: WILLIAM GILBERT (NO RN)
MOTHER:
NUMBER OF CHILDREN: 7
1) FRANCES GILBERT (RN=19)
2) SALLY (NO RN)
3) MILDRED (MILLIE) (NO RN)
4) PHILIP ALSTON (NO RN)
5) WILLIAM G. (NO RN)
6) JOHN (NO RN)
7) ELIZABETH GILBERT (RN=17)
(1: FRANCES may be dau. by an)
(2: earlier marriage (?))
(3: ESTATE SETTLED 1823)

24 APRIL 1994

Dear Melanie,

How lovely to hear from you! Such a thrill to get a new cousin. I am afraid my information is rather sketchy, and I never learned to write down where I got my information. I just ran a sheet on the Gilberts that I have and will write on the sheets what other info I have obtained.

Since I have had eye problems I haven't sat at the computer very long at a time. We moved to Granbury almost nine years ago and the library here is not much, so I really haven't done any research in years. And I don't drive out of Granbury, so have not been to a large library in many years. If I seem quite a dud, I guess I really am!

Perhaps some of what I have will at least make food for thought. I had forgotten my Gilbert had been in Tenn. until your phone call, it has been so long since I looked at my forms.

What gen. system do you have? I have an old Family Roots. I like it fine, except there is not enough space for notes. My daughter-in-law (in Alabama) has a new format that she is crazy about--have forgotten the name of it, but I'm anxious to see what hers covers so well.

Thank you so much for calling me--and I am most anxious to get your SECOND letter. I hope I won't disappoint you but since my eyes are fading I'm not too good a prospect. I had eye surgery last June but I don't see any better than before. Be patient with me!

Sincerely,

JoAn

Jo An McCreary
1143 Monticello Drive
Granbury, TX 76048

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¦                       ¦B 18 Feb 1741 WAKE CO. NC ¦                       77 JOHN HINTON COL.
¦                       ¦M                      ¦70 ANN (NANCY) HINTON    .-------------------------
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                         M                      ¦222 MARY CLARK           .-------------------------
                         D                      '-------------------------¦
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CHART OF ANN ELIZABETH STOCKTON (RN=5), COLORADO CO.,TX

1. ANN ELIZABETH STOCKTON (RN=5) b 23 Oct 1833, MISS., d 20 Mar 1874, COLORADO CO.,TX, m 11 Feb 1853, COLORADO CO.,TX.

----------GENERATION 1----------

2. BENJAMIN FULTON STOCKTON (RN=18) b MISS., d WILL DATED JUNE 1842, COLORADO CO, TX, m 15 Sep 1831, CLAIBORNE CO.,MS.
3. ELIZABETH GILBERT (RN=17) b ca 1803/05, d 1840, MISS., m 15 Sep 1831, CLAIBORNE CO.,MS.

----------GENERATION 2----------

4. SAMUEL STOCKTON (RN=90) b 1759 SPRINGFIELD, BURLINGTON CO.,N J, d 1817, m 18 Feb 1784, PRESB. CH. OF PHILADELPHIA.
5. ANN WOOD (RN=91) b 1760, d 1817, m 18 Feb 1784, PRESB. CH. OF PHILADELPHIA.
6. JOHN GILBERT (RN=32) d of??1807, JEFFERSON CO.,MS, m 1793, TENN.
7. ELIZABETH ELISE ALSTON (RN=31) b ca 1777 (?), -, d ca 1827, m 1793, TENN.

----------GENERATION 3----------

8. WILLIAM STOCKTON (RN=59) b 06 Nov 1712, SPRINGFIELD, BURLINGTON CO.,NJ, d 14 Nov 1781, m .
9. MARY BRYAN (RN=58) m .
10. WILLIAM WOOD II (RN=175) m .
11. EDITH BULLOCK (RN=174) m .
12. WILLIAM GILBERT (NO RN).
14. PHILIP ALSTON (RN=57) b 18 Feb 1741, WAKE CO. NC, d LIVING IN 1804, m .
15. MILDRED MC COY (RN=56) m .

----------GENERATION 4----------

16. JOB STOCKTON (RN=67) b ca 1676, d 1732, BURLINGTON CO. NJ, m 1723 ?.
17. ANNA PETTY (RN=66) d 1746, SPRINGFIELD, BURLINGTON CO.,NJ, m 1723 ?.
18. BENJAMIN BRYAN (RN=215) m .
19. MARY CLIFTON (RN=216) m .
20. JOHN WOOD II (RN=172) m .
21. EDITH COTES (RN=173) m .
28. SOLOMON ALSTON (RN=71) d BY JAN,1785, WARREN CO.,N C, m CA 1729.
29. ANN (NANCY) HINTON (RN=70) m CA 1729.
30. JOHN McCOY (RN=221) m .
31. MARY CLARK (RN=222) m .

----------GENERATION 5----------

32. RICHARD STOCKTON (NO RN).
33. ABIGALE (NO RN).
40. JOHN WOOD I (RN=93) m .
41. SUSAN NEWBOLD (RN=92) m .
56. JOHN ALSTON COL. (RN=75) b 05 Dec 1673, FELMERSHAM, BEDFORDSHIRE, ENG., d 1758, CHOWAN CO.,N C, m ca 1700/03.
57. MARY CLARK (RN=74) m ca 1700/03.
58. JOHN HINTON COL. (RN=77) d BY 1732, CHOWAN CO.,N C, m .
59. MARY HARDY (RN=76) m .
62. JOHN CLARK (RN=223) m .
63. MARY PALIN (RN=224) m .

ELIZABETH ELISE ALSTON (RN=31)
(Last Updated 14 Nov 1989)

BORN: ca 1777 (?)
AT: -
NUMBER OF MARRIAGES: 2
MARRIED TO: JOHN GILBERT (RN=32)
ON: 1793
AT: TENN
STATUS: Married
REMARRIED TO: EDMUND DUGGAN (NO RN)
ON: by 31 JUL 1813
AT: CLAIBORNE CO, MS
STATUS: Married
DIED AT: ca 1827
FATHER: PHILIP ALSTON (RN=57)
MOTHER: MILDRED MC COY (RN=56)
NUMBER OF CHILDREN: 9

1) FRANCES GILBERT (RN=19) b. 1794 / Not certain E E A — mother of Francis
2) SALLY (NO RN)
3) MILDRED (MILLIE) (NO RN)
4) PHILIP ALSTON (NO RN)
5) WILLIAM G. (NO RN)
6) JOHN (NO RN)
7) ELIZABETH GILBERT (RN=17)
8) THOMAS HINES DUGGAN (NO RN) b. 20 Apr 1813 d. 1868 m. 20 May 1834 Eliz. Perry
9) MARIA LOUISE DUGGAN (NO RN) b. 4 July 1818

Gilbert

by Edmund Duggan

This second marriage lasted less than 10 years.
In 1822 tax rolls, Elizabeth and Duggan lived. Two adjacent households

Edmund was b. 1792 & was 21 when he m. Eliz. Elizabeth Gilbert

FRANCES GILBERT (RN=19)
(Last Updated 14 Nov 1989)

BORN: 15 Nov 1794
AT: TENN
NUMBER OF MARRIAGES: 1
MARRIED TO: JAMES STEEN MONTGOMERY (RN=20)
ON: 07 Jun 1814
STATUS: Married
DIED ON: 28 Mar 1872
AT: EAGLE LAKE, TX
FATHER: JOHN GILBERT (RN=32)
MOTHER: ELIZABETH ELISE ALSTON (RN=31)
NUMBER OF CHILDREN: 10

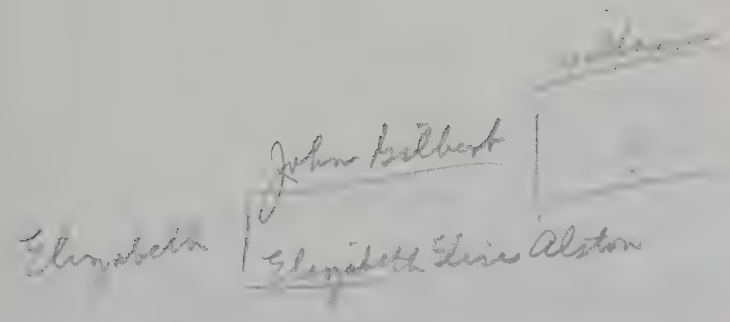
1) SARAH MYRA m. GEO. W THATCHER (NO RN) m. 21 Sept 1833 Raymond, Miss.
2) JOHN GILBERT (NO RN) b. 21 Feb 1817 d. Oct 182[illegible] in Miss.
3) SAMUEL (NO RN) b. 27 Dec 1818 d. Sept 1819 Miss.
4) JANE (NO RN) b. Sept 1820 d. Aug 1826 Miss.
5) SAMUEL m. JOSEPHINE ESTEP (NO RN) b. 15 June 1822 Miss. - m. in 1844
6) WM. W. (NO RN) b. 16 May 1824 d. 19 Nov. 1874 Texas (unmarried)
7) JANE SOPHIA m. DR. THOMAS WEBB (NO RN) b. 22 Mar 1826 Miss. d. 8 July 1878
8) LAURA ANN m. JOHN S. McNEEL (NO RN) b. 22 June 1828 Miss. d. 19 Sept 1855 Tex.
9) JOHN GILBERT MONTGOMERY (RN=8)
10) JAMES B. (NO RN)
b. 22 Dec 1834 Miss
d. July 1836 TX

BENJAMIN FULTON STOCKTON (RN=18)
(Last Updated 24 Aug 1988)

BORN AT: MISS.
NUMBER OF MARRIAGES: 1
MARRIED TO: ELIZABETH GILBERT (RN=17)
ON: 15 Sep 1831
AT: CLAIBORNE CO.,MS
STATUS: Married
DIED ON: WILL DATED JUNE 1842
AT: COLORADO CO, TX
FATHER: SAMUEL STOCKTON (RN=90)
MOTHER: ANN WOOD (RN=91)
NUMBER OF CHILDREN: 1
ANN ELIZABETH STOCKTON (RN=5)

ELIZABETH GILBERT (RN=17)
(Last Updated 24 Aug 1988)

BORN: ca 1803/05
NUMBER OF MARRIAGES: 1
MARRIED TO: BENJAMIN FULTON STOCKTON (RN=18)
ON: 15 Sep 1831
AT: CLAIBORNE CO.,MS
STATUS: Married
DIED ON: 1840
AT: MISS.
FATHER: JOHN GILBERT (RN=32)
MOTHER: ELIZABETH ELISE ALSTON (RN=31)
NUMBER OF CHILDREN: 1 (only)
ANN ELIZABETH STOCKTON (RN=5)



JOHN GILBERT MONTGOMERY (RN=8)
(Last Updated 14 Nov 1989)

BORN: 11 Nov 1830
AT: MISS.
NUMBER OF MARRIAGES: 1
MARRIED TO: ANN ELIZABETH STOCKTON (RN=5)
ON: 11 Feb 1853
AT: COLORADO CO.,TX
STATUS: Married
DIED ON: 10 Jun 1878
AT: TX
FATHER: JAMES STEEN MONTGOMERY (RN=20)
MOTHER: FRANCES GILBERT (RN=19)
NUMBER OF CHILDREN: 11

1) ELIZABETH (GENTRY) (NO RN)
2) MARY LAURA (NO RN)
3) JAMES SHELBY-1856-72 (NO RN)
4) JOSEPHINE 1858-64 (NO RN)
5) JANE SOPHIA (ELLIOT) (NO RN)
6) JOHN,JR. (NO RN)
7) MARGIE A. (WATTS) (NO RN)
8) ELLA (NO RN)
9) JESSIE ADELE MONTGOMERY (RN=3)
10) BENJ. T (TWIN) 1872-89 (NO RN)
11) WILLIAM W (NO RN)

Some most of these
birth & death years
cannot be found

Sam'l Steel
Nellie Steel
Jas. Steen Montgomery
John Gilbert
John Gilbert
Frances Gilbert
Eliz. Elsie Gelston

M
D

ANN ELIZABETH STOCKTON (RN=5)
(Last Updated 24 Sep 1988)

BORN: 23 Oct 1833
AT: MISS.
NUMBER OF MARRIAGES: 1
MARRIED TO: JOHN GILBERT MONTGOMERY (RN=8) (first cousin)
ON: 11 Feb 1853
AT: COLORADO CO.,TX
STATUS:
DIED ON: 20 Mar 1874
AT: COLORADO CO.,TX
FATHER: BENJAMIN FULTON STOCKTON (RN=18)
MOTHER: ELIZABETH GILBERT (RN=17)
NUMBER OF CHILDREN: 11

1) ELIZABETH (GENTRY) (NO RN)
2) MARY LAURA (NO RN)
3) JAMES SHELBY (NO RN)
4) JOSEPHINE (NO RN)
5) JANE SOPHIA (ELLIOT) (NO RN)
6) JOHN,JR. (NO RN)
7) MARGIE A. (WATTS) (NO RN)
8) ELLA 1866-9527 (NO RN)
9) JESSIE ADELE MONTGOMERY (RN=3) b. 2 Feb 10, 1872 d. 1918 m. Jasper Sam Vineyard — my great grandmother
10) BENJ. T (TWIN/JESSIE) (NO RN)
11) WILLIAM W (NO RN)

yes, I would like Gilbert data.
Thanks.
BdM

17550 HWY 15
Ripley, MS 38663
July 10, 1992

Dear Patsy,

How nice to have your letter. I do not have a lot on the Bourlands, but will certainly share. I appreciate you writing. It caused me to go through my RAMAGE-BOURLAND files and get them in somewhat better order.

First, the address for THE BOURLAND/LOVING BULLETIN is Madilene and Dick Huff, Rt. 3 Box 308L, Galena, MO 65656 and it $15.00 per year. I do not belong this this society, but they do send me copies every so oftern. I have contributed some things in the past.

I am descended from Elizabeth Bourland d 1827 Newberry Co., SC and her husband Joseph Ramage. I have my family back to them and quite a lot on her brother John's family as many of them came into northeast Miss. I have a copy of William Bourland's will if you need that.

My LCT query was for parents of SARAH WRIGHT who m. Ambrose Bourland Gilbert 1824 in Lincoln Co. I have a WRIGHT PROBLEM in LCT! Leon F. Wilson of Flower Mound, TX answered with some Bourland-Gilbert data but nothing about Sarah Wright. I guess he did not know anything. He evidently does not have your info on John C. and D. A. Gilbert either.

I also have a ROBERTS line. William Roberts from Halifax Co. VA, died Randolph Co. NC. His daughter Elizabeth married a Fuller and their daughter, Sally/Sarah married John Page Milam in Laurens Co. SC. I have numerous lines in Laurens and Newberry counties SC.

Do you know a John C. Gilbert of Columbia, SC? There is a copy of a letter he wrote (to Mrs. Mae Read, Warner Robbins, GA in 1987) in my files, from Marty Ramage of Tupelo, MS. Marty has helped me with the Ramage-Bourland lines. Or we helped each other. He has published a book on the Ramage Family.

I hope the enclosed will be helpful and I will get a copy of the William Bourland will the next time I am at the Library. Wish I had my own copying machine.

Sincerely,

Bobbie

Bobbie D. McDowell

P. S. Note the new address, even though I have not moved. I must get that info off to Mrs. Waller. In her last LCT PIONEERS, she even put me in Ripley, TN but with the correct zip code for MS.

BOURLAND FAMILY
Prepared by Bobbie D. McDowell, 17550 HWY 15, Ripley, MS 38663
9 July 1992 (From original chart of 1985)

WILLIAM BOURLAND s/o
b c 1735-40 (VA/PA?)
m c 1755
d 1804 Laurens Co. SC (will)

m/MARY_____d/o
d a 1804 will of husband

Children:

1) John d 1820 Laurens Co. SC; wife Mary (Adair?)

2) William

3) James

4) Andrew

5) Sarah Grace — m/John Gilbert who d 1842 Giles Co. TN

6) Nancy — m/Thetford/Whitford

7) Mary — m/(Robert) McCrary (1) d 1803 (Mary Odle, formerly McCrary adm. sale of Robert McCrary dec'd Laurens Co. SC
m/_____Odle (2)

8) Phoebe — m/John W. Harper

9) Elizabeth
d 8 July 1827 Newberry Co. SC
w b Ramage-Sheppard Cem. — m/Joseph Ramage b by 5 July 1747 PA d 1825 Laurens Co. SC; Soldier American Rev.; Memorial Marker Duncan's Creek Presbyterian Ch. Laurens Co. SC

10) Rebecca — m/_____Fowler

11) Jennet — m/_____Dooland

12) Cassa — m/John Grace

13) Rody/Katy
d bef 1804 — m/ (McClure)

Original land grant "Royal Land Grant" 12-1-1769 for 300 acres Warrior Creek, Berkley Co. (Laurens) SC. Elliott, LARUENS CO. SC WILLS ETC. p. 42, 4 Oct. 1803 App. to Adm. est. of Robert McCrary dec'd by wife Mary McCrary, Sec. John Boling (Bourland?) and James Elmore...

17550 HWY 15
Ripley, MS 38663
July 22, 1992
Dear Patricia Ann,

Looking through the last issue of LCT PIONEERS, I saw your Bible records on Roberts etc., which I had not noticed before. At ~~at~~ least had not seen a connection. I am not sure I sent you Leon F. Wilson's address. It is 2230 Whispering Oaks, Flower Mound, TX (214-539-8933). Send him your Gilbert info and he will send you a computer print-out of his Bourland-Gilbert data.

He lists as a child of Sarah Bourland and John Gilbert, Mary Gilbert, who m 27 July 1826, LCT George L. Lenoard/Leanord. Geo. L. Leonard is a name mentioned in LCT deeds with my Wright's. Do you know anythink about them? Was Mary Gilbert Leonard the Elizabeth Leonard in LCT 1850 census with children including a son, George W.?

Leon gives more data on Washington Alexander Gilbert and his descendants than any others. As I have been checking some census and marmiage records, I find he gave marriage dates as birth dates in some cases. I'm sure he has caught that mistake by now.

With what you had in LCT PIONEERS, and your letter, and what Leon had, and the little I knew, I came up with the enclosed family group sheet on Rev. John Gilbert and Sarah Grace Bourland, with additional questions of course.

Hope this will be helpful.

Sincerely,

Bobbie

Bobbie McDowell

P.S. you are probably way ahead of me on this. Just wanted to check it out with you.

BOURLAND-RAMAGE FAMILIES

Rev. John Gilbert s/o William Gilbert I
b c 1774
d June 1842 Giles Co. TN (Is there a will or probate?)

m/SARAH GRACE BOURLAND d/o William & Mary
b c 1784
m (Evidently unmarried when her father, William Bourland, wrote his will Jan. 1804.)
d

Where SC come from.

Children:

(1) Ambrose Bourland
b c 1805/6 ~~SC~~ NC
m 20 July 1826 LCT Sarah WRIGHT (d/o Elijah?)
Line Bobbie is interested in. Did they move to Callaway Co. KY?

(2) John C. Gilbert
b c 1808-10 Laurens Co. ~~SC~~ NC
d 1838 Where?
m Rachel Roberts d/o John Roberts & Sarah Smith
Line of Particia Ann West

(3) Mary (Elizabeth?)
b (c 1811 ~~SC~~) NC ?
m 27 July 1826 LCT George L. Leanord (May have d bef 1850 cen.)

(4) Caroline Malinda Gilbert
b c 1824
m 20 Jan. 1842 LCT Samuel J. Nix/Nicks (In LCT 1850 census)

(5) dau m John C. McNatt

(6) Washington Alexander
b ~~18 Sept. 1814~~ (SC) 28 Sept 1811
m 13 Jan. 1842 Rogersville, Lauderdale Co. AL Sarah Elizabeth Oliver d 2 Feb. 1823 Madison Co. AL d/o Sarah Howard & William Oliver.
d 22 Oct. 1878 Tuscumbia, Colbert Co. AL

(7) Doctor A(ddison?) Gilbert
b c 1821
m Lucretia Roberts d/o John Roberts & Sarah Smith.

(8) dau m Malcom McNatt

This charts additions and corrections. Thank you.

Patricia A. West
24 Willow Hill Road
St. Louis, Missouri 63124-2055
(314) 993-4974

12 September 1992

Mr. John C. Gilbert
9 Cardross Lane
Columbia, SC 29209

Dear Mr. Gilbert,

Mrs. Huff, of the Bourland-Loving Society, suggested I contact you. We apparently descend from the same Gilbert - Bourland line. I am especially interested in this line, as I descend from two of the sons of Sallie Bourland and Rev. John Gilbert. I am enclosing some information for you to look at. I can send you FGS for each line to the present, if you wish.

I have quite a bit of information about the Gilberts, including two family Bibles. I also know quite a bit about the Roberts - Smith line whose daughters married the Gilbert brothers. (Actually, I descend from three of the Roberts sisters.)

I also have a copy of the claim filed by D.A. Gilbert to the U.S. after the Civil War. He requested, and got, compensation for some horses the U.S. "requisitioned" during the Civil War. In order to be awarded compensation, a person had to prove that he never supported the Confederacy. It's a fascinating document. Incidentally, do you know what the D.A. stands for. I know D.A. was referred to as "Doctor A. Gilbert" in his Civil War claim and he went by the nickname "Doc." Maurice Hughston, I believe, told me the "A." stood for Addison, but I've never known where that information came from. Can you help?

Mrs. Huff also said you had a lot of information about the Bourlands. I know nothing about them except I do have a FGS for a William Bourland, who supposedly was the father of Sarah Bourland Gilbert. Apparently there is conflicting evidence on that. Mrs. Huff said you had deeds or other documents that supported the idea that Sallie is the daughter of that William. Could you send me what you have? I'll be happy to reimburse you for any expenses you incur.

Please tell me what you would like me to send to you.

Sincerely,

Patsy West

Enc: Pedigree chart.
Rev. John Gilbert
John C. Gilbert
D.A. Gilbert

9 CARDROSS LANE
COLUMBIA, S.C. 29209
September 29, 1992

Ms. Patricia A. West
24 Willow Hill Road
St. Louis, Missouri 63124-2055

Dear Patsy,

The name "West" has a special place in my heart for two reasons. In World War Two I had a tail gunner named D. B. West from Chillicothe, Ohio, and, secondly, somewhere back in my Chapman lineage there was a West who was the second husband of one of my ancestral kin--I would have to look that one up.

Thank you for the fabulous information which you sent me about the Gilbert genealogy. Although I am close to Maurice Gilbert Hughston, I had very little information regarding the grandchildren of John Gilbert.

For now, let me say that in my youth I knew a fine young man named Gene Addison. In the 1950s he owned and operated a motel on North Jefferson Street in Dublin, Georgia--my home town. On several occasions he mentioned that he had Gilbert ancestry and that we were kin. I remember my sister also mentioned we were kin to him. I would estimate his date of birth as around 1910. I think it is reasonable to assume that Addison was the middle name of D. A. Gilbert.

Wish I could spend more time at this very moment getting together information for you on the Bourland side. I will do it, and will try very hard to do it before christmas, but for now I am very hard pressed for time. My wife had a stroke in January, and it has completely changed my life. Time to do anything that I wish to do has become very scarce.

The good lord willing and the creek don't rise, I will get you considerable information on the early Bourlands of South Carolina by Christmas.

Love,

John C. Gilbert

John C. Gilbert

Patricia A. West
24 Willow Hill Road
St. Louis, Missouri 63124-2055
(314) 993-4974

26 October 1992

Mr. John C. Gilbert
9 Cardross Lane
Columbia, SC 29209

Dear Mr. Gilbert

Thank you so much for your recent letter. I hope your wife is improving. My mother had a stroke and it took her quite a while to recover, but she got almost all she "lost" back. It must just feel awful to not be able to do what you are used to.

I'd appreciate your sending me copies of your Gilbert and Bourland material when you have time. I also have a few more things to send to you. I can't remember if I mentioned that I found a claim against the U.S. government that D.A. Gilbert filed for compensation for 4 horses that the Union army took from him. He had to prove that 1) he always supported the Union and 2) that his horses were taken for "official" use. It's a really interesting document. He claimed to have used physical force to keep one of his sons from joining the Confederate Army. (My mother was just appalled to learn that we had a "Yankee" in our family.)

Also, I have a good picture of D.A. Gilbert and also of his wife. The copy machine I use makes really good reproductions.

Thanks for clearing up where the "Addison" came from. I'd still love to know why his first name was "Doctor."

Do check your West in your Chapman line. My earliest West, William was born about 1775-80 in "old Virginny," but his first child was born ca 1802 in SC. His wife was Aisley Rogers, d/o Shadrack Rogers and Hopey Bethea. The Rogers and that West family moved to southern Mississippi about 1810-20. The next generation moved first to LA and then to Texas about 1860 and stayed there until my grandfather moved to Alabama. I'm stuck on William West. I mean, how in the world would I know if I found his parents?

Anyway, I know your life is full to overflowing right now. I look forward to hearing from you when you have time and I'll try to get my materials to you before the end of the year.

Sincerely,

Patsy West

9 CARDROSS LANE
COLUMBIA, S.C. 29209
March 30, 1993

Patricia A. West
24 Willow Hill Road
St. Louis, Mo. 63124-2055

Dear Patty,

Well, I said I would get you some information before Christmas--good thing I didn't say which Christmas. No, I didn't lose your letter. It was in one of my "safe places". Do you ever put anything in a place that is so safe even you have trouble finding it?

I have a considerable amount of information that I have not had time to organize and collate. I am going to send some of it to you at this time. Don't give up on me. I am still alive. There is more to come.

For now, let me say that William Gilbert was born in Ireland in 1735, died 1790; buried in Charleston, S.C. Married Sarah McCandless of York County Pa. Born 1727, D. 1822. This is from the ~~DAR Roster~~ of Tennessee. Children: Alexander McCandless, Washington, John, William, Janice + SARAH.
I can't remember what info other than that on Gene Addison that I might have sent you in my last letter, but I have considerable stuff in which you would be interested. Trouble is it is so very disorganized I do not want to duplicate what I have done etc.

Send me a list of anything I Xeroxed or quoted and I will try to fill in the gaps. For example: W.A. was a Whig, but espoused the southern cause, had his gin burned etc. When the Yankee soldiers set fire to his house the slaves put out the fire and chased away the soldiers using only sticks saying W.A. was a good man and good to them. The soldiers were amused and left the house alone.

If Dock Addison was able to get money from the government, he was smart. His nephew James, son of W.A., was a scout in the Alabama 4th Cavalry. I have the exact command somewhere and one of his stirrups. I do not know whether Doc and W.A. were in the Stage Coach Business together, but I do know that the Yankees stole the stages and supply wagons and horses from W.A. who also ran a General Merchandise business, and they ransacked that and then burned it down.

Let me know what you have and I will try to fill in the gaps.

Thank you, cousin Patty, and LOVE.
John C. Gilbert - Apr. 7, 1993 (Finally)
John C. Gilbert

(8) Washington, son of William Gilbert 1, seems to have gone to Tennessee very early----before the revolution.

(9) My revised estimate is that our John was born after 1761, may have been to young to fight in the revolution. He served in the militia at the end of the war. Probably joined his brother Washington for a time in Tennessee before returning to S.C. for a while. May have been near Sarah Gilbert Holland and James Holland who went to Tenn. in 1812. He had to come back to S.C. to dispose of his land along Durbin Creek watershed, Laurens County. It is probable that his father, William 1, purchased this land for him.

(10) From the Will of William Gilbert 3: Wife Deceased. Children: William, Henry, Matilda Austin, Lucy Akins, Nancy Cooper, Edward Gilbert. Proven: March 31 1843.

I have accumulated an enormous amount of detail. If you want anything specific, let me know. If I don't have it, maybe I can get it. I can't get birthdays or marriage dates. Here is hoping you folks appreciate the enormous amount of effort I have put into this genealogy. Maybe it will prove to be worth it.

There is a lot more history and interesting tid-bits, but it is a time consuming job to sort it out and make an interesting presentation.

HISTORICAL NOTE:

To keep the time in perspective, remember that in 1754 George Washington was a Colonel in the British Army fighting the French and Indian War.

It is also worth noting that in 1771 William Gilbert was in the North Carolina Provincial Militia, was wounded at the battle of Allamance, N.C., and received a pension of 10 pounds per month for the remainder of his life. He named one of his sons: Washington Gilbert.

Prepared by
John C. Gilbert

9 CARDROSS LANE
COLUMBIA, S.C. 29209
Updated: April 6, 1993

THIS IS A PARTIAL RECORD OF THE SOME EARLY GILBERT AND THE EARLY BOURLAND FAMILIES IN NORTH AND SOUTH CAROLINA--Prior to 1820. It does not include the Caleb Gilbert line.

I have an early record of William Gilbert receiving a Royal Land Grant of 220 acres in what was then Tryon County, N. C. on March 9, 1768. (Deed Abstracts of Tryon, Lincoln and Rutherfordton Counties 1769-1786 by Holcomb--Southern Historical Press). And have a copy of a Royal Land Grant of 200 acres of land on Durbin Creek in what is now Laurens Co. S. C. dated 2 October 1770. (Dept. of Archives & History--South Carolina)

Having found a Will of a William Gilbert in Laurens County, South Carolina, who had a son named John, (turned out to be William 2) I proceeded to search in that general area and found a book of Land Grant maps by the Union County Historical Society for the period prior to 1820, which partly covered early land grants in Union, Laurens, Greenville & Spartanburg Counties. They were part of old District 96, and the old Camden district. At one time there was a land dispute between N. C. and S. C. concerning the area. It was settled in 1772, but old titles and nomenclature persisted. The book of maps was not found in the State Archives, but was donated to the Carolinean Library of the University of South Carolina by a member of the Wade Hampton family.

While searching across these large maps, I found the name William Bourland, 1767. About 3 or 4 miles away I found William Gilbert, 1786. I thought I had something.....and I did. About a half mile south of him I found William Bourland, 1799, and adjacent to that Wm. Bourland 1787. About 10 miles south of that I found Job Dean, (the Dean family figures into our search for our Bourland connection).

First results of further research: William and John Gilbert and family acquired over 25,000 acres of land in State Land Grants in Laurens, Greenville and Spartanburg counties, S. C.--between 1784 and 1787--and the second generation purchased at least 27 more tracts between 1792 and 1835--numerous tracts being on Durbin Creek watershed, Laurens Co. S. C. near what is now Fountain Inn, Greenville Co. S. C..

John, James and William Bourland, second generation, obtained State land grants for eight tracts in the same area--plus Royal Grant of their ancestors. The Dean Family had 7 Royal Grants--some in this area--and obtained 11 State grants in this immediate area.

No will or marriage certificate was found for any Dean. Their names were: Royal grants to: Ann, Job, Richard, Thomas, William and Daniel. State Grants to: John, Joshua, Julius, Richard, Thomas, William and Joseph between 1783 and 1800.

FROM THE WILL OF WILLIAM BOURLAND, S.C. #1:
Estimated birth 1734. Died 1804.

Wife named Mary.

Children,s names: Ruby Webure, Mary Olde, Pegabee Harper, JOHN BOURLAND, Elizabeth Rummage, Rebekka Fowler, William Bourland II, James Bourland, Jennet Dooland, Sarah Grace, Nancy Whetford, Andrews Bourland and Cassa Grace. This is our Sarah Grace that married John Gilbert, son of William Gilbert I. I distinctly remember Mrs. Mose Ingram (Sarah Gilbert), Cloverdale, Ala., saying her name was Sarah Grace, but everybody called her Sallie.

Interestingly, William Bourland 1 is not listed in the 1790 Census of Laurens Co. S. C....remember William Bourland 1 died in 1804. William Bourland 2 is not listed in any census in Laurens Co. S. C. as head of family. William Bourland 3 is listed as head of a young family in Laurens County S.C. in 1820.

The son of William Bourland I, John Bourland I, is listed in the 1800 Census with 2 males under 10, 1 male 10 to 16, 1 male 16-26, 1 male 26 to 45; and 3 females under 16 and 1 female 16-26 and one female 26-45.

FROM THE WILL OF JOHN BOURLAND I: Son of William Bourland I, Estimated born 1760, Died 1820, father of our William Bourland (X) .....Nephew of our Sarah Grace Gilbert. Source: Will Book E PAGES 70, 71, 72, LAURENS COUNTY S.C.-- S. C. Archives microfilm: M/9 AD 539.

Wife named Mary

Names of the Children of John Bourland, Laurens Co. S. C.:

John, Thomas, WILLIAM(X), David, Mary Scott, Sarah, Jane, Charlet and Martha Rammage, deceased.
John Rammage and Robert Bourland to execute will.

Quote from the will of John Bourland:

"Thomas, give my son (William)(X) A CERTAIN TRACT OR PARCEL OF LAND LYING OR BEING IN THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, CONTAINING 150 ACRES MORE OR LESS BOUNDED BY TADLOCK TRAIL, (Mr.) FLINT AND OTHERS; WILLIAM RECEIVE THIS AS FULL COMPENSATION IN THE DENODENT OF MY ESTATE"-----.

Also, to paraphrase some of the will: Sarah is to get her share in 3 years, Charlet and Jane to get their share in two years------This means Sarah is far from mature, and since the will was written and recorded in 1820, this Sarah could hardly have married before then or in time to produce the John Gilbert family. This Sarah married James Wilson about 1820.

The use of the word "Denodent" indicates a well educated man.

My guess is that we will find the tract given to William to be in Maury County, Tennessee (or Giles County, since Giles was split off from Maury about 1809) because:

JACKPOT # 2: William Gilbert # 1 (died- 1790) had 5000 acres in Maury County, Tennessee. He gave it to Sarah Gilbert Holland (his daughter and sister of our John) and James Holland who moved to Maury County Tennessee in 1812. Location: "James Holland purchased land near the William Gilbert tract in Maury County Tenn. Moved to Duck Creek at mouth of Fountain Creek. Holland is buried 9 miles East of Columbia, Tennessee in what is now the Watson Cemetery. Sarah died at TUSCALOOSA, Alabama Sept. 10, 1841 and is buried there."
Source: * see below.

In 1775 Tryon County, N. C. extended from Mecklenburg County Westward to the Tennessee boundary. (In 1780 Tryon County was split and eliminated. Lincoln Co. bounded Mecklenburg Co. & Rutherford Co. bounded Lincoln Co.---each to the west of the other).

William Gilbert 1 sold Gilbert Town to James Holland (Husband of his daughter, Sarah McCandless Gilbert). Gilbert Town was located on Cathey's Creek which became Holland Creek, and is now Shepherd Creek. It is now on the northern side of Rutherfordton, North Carolina.

"After the Revolutionary war, William Gilbert was engaged in numerous lawsuits in Rutherfordton N C . Lost most of his property. Sojourned at Charleston 1786, 1787, 1788. Died 1790 and is buried in Charleston, S.C.. His wife died Dec. 22, 1822 at Holland's Ford (or Holland's Ferry) on the Duck River above Columbia Tenn. in the 4th District, Maury County, Tennessee and is buried there. His (Gilbert's) wife was Sarah McCandless of Southeast Pennsylvania ---etc." *Source: see below.

They had six children named: Alexander McCandless, Washington, William, John, Sarah and Janice.

It was undoubtedly during these trips in Charleston that he obtained numerous South Carolina State Land Grants. It was possibly because of his reputation that he was able to obtain over 25,000 acres. * Source:--History of Old Tryon and Rutherford Counties p. 71-72...by Griffin, Reprint Company, Spartanburg, S. C.

He was in the North Carolina Provencial Militia, fought at the battle of Alamance, N.C. 1771, was wounded and received 10 lbs pension. He was Assessor of taxes in 1776 and 1777, and in 1778 was Collector. He was Rutherford County's representative in the House of Commons 1780, 1782, and 1783. In 1775 was a Justice of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions. In 1781 he was again appointed Justice---- etc.----all this among much tumult, accusations and vindications.
See same source as above page 28, plus: N.C. Colonial Records Volume 9 page 131.

In 1800 census there is one John Gilbert listed in Laurens County, S. C. with 2 males under 10 years, 0 males 10-16, 1 male 16-26,...(himself). The only female was his wife 16-26. This is the son of William 2.

Then there is the other John: In the 1810 Census of Laurens County, S. C. a John Gilbert listed 4 males 10-16, 1 male 16-26, 1 male 26-45, and himself over 45. No females except his wife over 45.

THIS IS THE CENSUS THAT PRETTY WELL NAILS HIM DOWN AS THE SON OF WILLIAM 1 AND THE BROTHER OF WILLIAM 2 (SR.). He proceeded to sell out his land holdings in S.C. by 1819. He could be in Tennessee in the 1790 and 1800 Censuses. He did move around quite a bit.

In 1800 census of Laurens County, S. C. there is a William Gilbert Sr. (our #2) and a William Gilbert Jr. listed.of Laurens Co., S. C.---John Gilbert (Jr.), son of William Gilbert 2 (Sr.) is a relative, but not an ancestor.

In the 1810 census, William Sr. (2) had only himself and his wife over 45. Four of his sons-- Wm Jr., Jeremiah, James, and Joshua had families, ...but his son John seems to have gone to Maury county Tennessee before it was split into Giles County, or to Giles County in 1809 or early 1810-----Our John Gilbert went back to Tennessee the after 1819--after he sold his last tract of land in S.C. See below.

This also indicates that John 1, son of William 1 married Sarah Grace, Daughter of William Bourland 1. In her father's will she was listed the tenth child of thirteen children. This puts her and John 1 in the same age group, with John probably being the older.

Important notes: (1) Our John Gilbert sold his last tract of land in Laurens county, S. C. in 1819-----this indicates intent to move. He probably had to come back from Tennessee to dispose of his land holdings. (2) Alexander M. Gilbert also owned land in Laurens County, S. C.----this is the son of William 1. He sold his land in the year 1810, probably lived in Tennessee and came back to S.C. just to make the sale. He is not in the 1810 Census of Laurens Co. S.C. (3) Janice Gilbert, daughter of William 1, sold her tract on Durbin Creek in 1798. She married Robert Prince. (4) The last of all of the estates of William Gilbert 1 sons in Laurens Co. S. C. was sold in 1836. William 3 remained until his death in 1843.(5) The last of the Bourland family tracts in Laurens County, S. C. was sold in 1804. (6) Most of the Dean family sold out about the same period.

(7) From the Will of William Gilbert 2 (Sr): Wife Sarah Alston. Children: James Gilbert, Sarah Gilbert Dean (married John Dean) Elizabeth Collins, Marah Wilford, William Gilbert Jr. (3), John Gilbert, Haney Austin, Jeremiah Gilbert, Rebecah Burchfield, Joshua Gilbert. Proven Oct. 7, 1822, Laurens County, S. C. This son John is not in the 1810 Census, but is in the 1820 one, he is believed to have been in Tennessee and to have explored there before or around 1800--1810.

SOME EARLY GENEALOGY ON THE CHAPMAN, WEST, ROGERS, DOUGLAS, CHATMAN relationship.

William Chapman
B.1740 D.9/7/1786
M. Elizabeth West
B.12/15/1754

Issue: William Chapman, John Chapman, Annie (married Elijah Hammock), Ellen (married Tucker), John, and Hannah (married John Green).

William 1 died in 1786. His widow, Elizabeth West (Chapman) married Spencer Douglas.

Issue: Thomas, B. 12/2/1791 died an infant.
Elizabeth Douglas, B. 8/12/1793
M1. J. Rogers
Issue: Mary, Daniel, Elizabeth W.
Sarah Douglas B. 3/16/1788

Elizabeth Douglas M2: Jesse Chatman

Detailed notes have been lost, but the information was found Macon, Ga. and the state archives in Atlanta Georgia.

I am decended from William Chapman 1 and William Chapamn 2 via John Chapman and Lucy Carleton Chapman Gilbert.

Hope this will help a little.

Sincerely,

John C. Gilbert

John C. Gilbert

9 CARDROSS LANE
COLUMBIA, S.C. 29209
April 7, 1993

Patricia A. West
24 Willow Hill Road
St. Louis, Mo. 63124-2055

Dear Patsy,

I am so very appreciative of the genealogy you sent me on the Gilbert family. Some of us had tried in vain to find the family bibles. It is good to know that you have them.

I have finally found time to dig up the West genealogy which you requested. I believe you will find it very interesting.

I also have dug up genealogy on the Gilbert family which goes back to 1735. It mingles with the Bourland and the Dean families.

And, again, I thank you for your information. I never expected to find it.

I did not purchase the "Gilberts in America" book because Mae Reed wrote in the bulletin that it was nothing more than a list of names taken from tedlephone directories.

By the way, Maurice Gilbert Hughston, daughter of Joseph Gilbert, and her husband both expired this past fall.

Let me know if the West and Douglas genealogy is any help.

By the way, W. A. Gilbert, brother of D.A. Gilbert, is my Grandfather. I may have told you, James, his oldest son, was a scout in the Alabama 4th Calvery.

Sincerely.

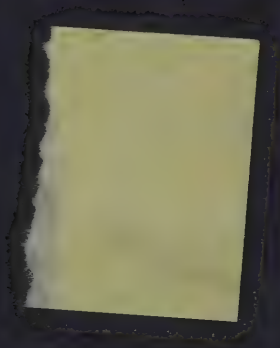
John C. Gilbert

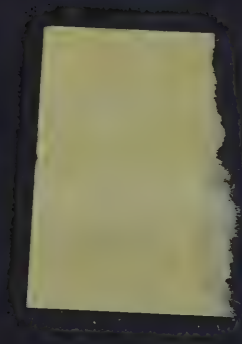
John C. Gilbert

You mentioned a little "glitch" in the records - a date I think--. I would like to try to help you straighten it out. JG

Ambrose B
Bible
picture
of DAS
wife

SC Mayer





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1 June 1993

Mr. John C. Gilbert
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Dear Mr. Gilbert,

I appreciate your letter of April 7 and March 30, and I apologize for taking so long to respond. Our family is leaving for a 3 week visit to London on June 11 and I feel like I am spinning my wheels. I am so grateful to hear from you. I'm saddened to hear that Maurice Hughston and her husband both died last year. I corresponded with her quite a bit.

What an enormous amount of work you have done!!! Thank you so much. I have made up two family group sheets on the basis of the information in your April 7 letter. I'm sending you copies and would like for you to check them, if you would.

I guess what we are ultimately missing is a will for William Gilbert (I). I would very much like to use his service to join the DAR. Have any of our John Gilbert descendants joined on the basis of William (I) Gilbert's service? Also, what information do you have about our John Gilbert serving in the NC militia at the end of the war?

I have found one thing I can't reconcile with your information. I found a newspaper account of the sale of William (I) Gilbert's 5000 acres in Maury Co. Heirs are listed as:

1. Jenny Gilbert, wife of Robert Prince
2. Sarah Gilbert, wife of James Hollad [sic]
3. Alexander M. Gilbert
4. Milly Gilbert
5. Sally Gilbert
6. Fanny Gilbert
7. Philip Gilbert
8. William Gilbert
9. Jenny Gilbert & Elizabeth Gilbert to [sic, should be two] children of John GILBERT, DECEASED. This was published on 24 Aug 1810.

Note there is no son Washington Gilbert. Our John Gilbert couldn't have been dead by 1810. He had at least 3 children in 1810 or later (John C. Gilbert, b. ca 1810; Washington Alexander Gilbert, b 29 Sept 1811; & D.A. Gilbert b 6 Jun 1821). In addition, I don't think our John Gilbert had daughters named Jenny or Elizabeth, although I'm not sure I know all his children. Also, our John couldn't have been selling land in SC in 1819 if he was dead in 1810.

Can you make sense out of this? Bobbie McDowell says Sarah Bourland Gilbert was born in 1784. Could there have been an extra John Gilbert in our line, to wit, William Gilbert I, b 1735, another John Gilbert b ca 1755, and then John Gilbert b ca 1775 who married Sarah Bourland?

Could you send me a copy of William Bourland's (I) will and a copy of the map showing the Gilberts and Bourlands land being close together?

I can't tell if I'm connected to your West-Chapman line yet. My oldest West, William, was born about 1775-80 in "Old Virginny," was in SC long enough to get married and have a few kids and then went to south Mississippi with his father-in-law, Shadrack Rogers.

You know my ancestor, Washington A. Gilbert, was the nephew of your grandfather, Washington A. Gilbert.

I had always heard that our Gilberts were from England. How do we know our William Gilbert I was from Ireland? Do you have any idea where in Ireland? My grandmother's cousin, Bessie D. Morton (who was related to my grandmother on both her Morton and her Gilbert lines) had some English plate brought over here from England by the early Gilberts. It was actually bequeather to my grandmother, but Bessie D. would never let go of it. Bessie D. never married and when she died, her estate was sold. No one notified any family. Alas.

I hope this letter doesn't give you a headache. And thanks so much for sharing what you have.

I know these are the right families. The names repeat in too many generations (Alexander, Washington, etc.). Also, I'm sure the Gilberts and Bourlands living close together are the right ones. It's just too much of a coincidence.

I better go. Let me hear from you soon, please.

Sincerely,

Patsy West

From Genealogical Abstracts from Tennessee Newspapers, 1803-1812 by Sherida K. Eddlemon, Heritage Books, 1898

1. Williamson Co., TN, January Sessions, 1808. Stephen Childress, sheriff & collector, reports that the following tracts of property still have unpaid taxes for the year 1807. The property is to be sold on the first Monday in July next in the town of Franklin.

William Gilbert, 5000 acres, no location given

2. Maury Co. December term 1809. Town of Columbia, lots not listed for taxes in 1809. The properties are liable for a double tax:

Alexander M. Gilbert

from the Democratic Clarion & Tennessee Gazette, 23 Mar 1810, Vol. III, No. CXIII

3. On the 27th of September next in the town of Columbia, there will be a public sale directed by the Williamson County court of 5000 acres lying on both sides of Fountain Creek, Warrant No. 542, that is the property of William GILBERT, dec. The rights to said land belong to Jenny GILBERT, the wife of Robert PRINCE; Sarah GILBERT, the wife of James HOLLAD; Alexander M. GILBERT; Milly GILBERT; Sally GILBERT; Fanny GILBERT; Philip GILBERT; William GILBERT; and to Jenny GILBERT and Elizabeth GILBERT, children of John GILBERT, dec. and heirs to Wm. GILBERT, dec. Wm. Bradshaw, deputy sheriff.
August 24, 1810, Vol. III, No. CXXXV, Democratic Clarion & Tennessee Gazette

4. Bedford Co., March term 1810, Liable for double tax in 1810 (1809 tax not paid):
David Gilbert, 50 acres, Flat Creet
Democratic Clarion & Tennessee Gazette, Dept. 7, 1810, Vol. III, No. CXXXVII

From Land Warrant Book:

Sullivan Co., TN: 7 Mar 1780: Daniel MILLER enters 300 acres on North side of Holston River on the waters of Sinking Creek, joining John Laughlen, John GILBERT & Col. Shelby, joining my former entry #264. Patsy needs to check #296 & 297, Alexander Laughlin, 10 Mar 1780.

WRITE A MESSAGE 04/08/94

SEND TO: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
SUBJECT: Gilbert snail mail

Hi Patsy, I didn't know you were on Prodigy. This is great. YES! Let's work on this Gilbert thing together. I agree with you. Also, your finding the newspaper article on the sale of William Gilbert's property in Maury Co. is fantastic. Listen, I just got in from being in Dallas for a week (working, not for fun - wish I'd had time to go to the Dallas Library). Let me have time to read your E-Mail carefully, and I'll get back. Love, Melanie

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READ A MESSAGE 04/08/94

From: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
Subject: Gilbert snail mail
Sent on: 04/07 at 07:07PM

Dear Melanie, Thanks so much for the huge Gilbert package. I suspect you are right about the GRACE name being a last name rather than a middle name. We need to check those NC deeds by getting copies to see if a wife was listed for John Gilbert. She would have to give up her dower rights. Tennessee probably isn't going to be much help; they lived in a burned county. Our Sarah Gilbert can't be the Sarah Bourland, dau of John Bourland whose will was probated in 1820 She would be too young and wasn't to get her share for two years (Will Book E, pages 70-21, Laurens Co., SC.]. In the 1800 Laurens Co., SC census, a John Gilbert is listed with 2 males <10, 0 males 10-16 and 1 female 16-26. My SC Gilbert correspondent claims this to be the son of William II (son of William Gilbert, REV. SOL. William Gilbert II's will, Laurens Co, SC, proved 7 Oct 1822 lists wife Sarah Alston. Chn: James, Darah Gilbert Dean (married John Dean), Elizabeth Collins, Marah Wilford, William Gilbert Jr. (III), John Gilbert, Haney Austin, Jeremiah Gilbert, Rebecah Burchfield, Joshua Gilbert. This son John is not in the 1810 Census, but is in the 1820. Also, I found a newspaper account of the sale of William Gilbert I's sale of 5000 acres in Maury Co. Heirs are listed as Jenny Gilbert, w/ Robert Prince; Sarah Gilbert,w/ John Hollad (sic); Alexander M. Gilbert; Milly Gilbert, Sally Gilbert; Fanny Philip Gilbert; William Gilbert; Jenny Gilbert & Elizabeth two children of JOHN Gilbert, deceased. This was published on 24 Aug 1810. So our John Gilbert cannot be the SON of William Gilbert I. I think we are missing a generation. I wonder if the Caroline Barker is the wife of an earlier Gilbert, maybe the "missing link." I need time to process and think about what you sent and then let's develop a plan and divide it up.

Are you willing? I need to send you copies of what I have and my correspondence with Mr. Gilbert in SC. He has lots of info, but he really parcels it out. Most of it is documented. I can't thank you enough for what you sent. IN addition to the Gilberts, your info has stuff on my MOrton, Sorrells, etc lines that I didn't have. Will start making copies next week. I hope this makes sense and that you still are on *P. Patsy West

From: Deeann Gatchell
To: ? Blair
Subject: ALAMO

Msg #323, Mar-10-94 20:09:48

To the gentlemen who wanted a list of those who fell with TRAVIS at the Alamo.

OFFICERS:
W. Barrett TRAVIS, Lieut.-Colonel Commanding... James BOWIE- served in same capacity as TRAVIS. ....J. WASHINGTON, Col, Tenn....Captains:....FORSYTH, N. Y. .....HARRISON, Tenn....Wm. BLAZELEY, La.... Wm. C. M. BAKER, Miss....S. B. EVANS.....W. R. CAREY, Texas....S. C. BLAIR, Texas.....GILMORE, Tenn....Robert WHITE.....Lieuts: John JONES, La....Almaron DICKINSON.... George C. KIMBELL....Adjutant I. G. BAUGH.....Mast. Ord. Robert EVANS, Ireland... Serg't Major ? WILLIAMSON... Aid to Travis, Charles DESPALIER... Lieut. Qr - Master Elial MELTON... Assistant Qr. Masters: ? ANDERSON and ? BURNELL..... Surgeons: D. MICHISON... Amos POLLARD.... ? THOMPSON....and Ensign, Green B. JEMISON.

PRIVATES:
David CROCKETT, Tenn...E. NELSON, S. C.....? NELSON, Texas...W. H. SMITH, Texas....Lewis JOHNSON, Texas...E. T. MITCHELL, Ga...F. DESANGUE, pa... ? THRUSTON, Ky....? MOORE...Christoper PARKER, Miss... C. HUSKELL... ? ROSE, Texas....John BLAIR, Texas.... ? KIDDESON, ...Wm. WELLS, Tenn...Wm. CUMMINGS, Pa... ? VALENTINE...? COCKRAN... R. W. BALLANTINE...S. HALLOWAY...Isaac WHITE...? DAY...Robert MUSELMAN, New Orleans...Robert CROSSMAN, New Orleans... Richard STARR, Eng... I. G. GARRETT, New Orleans...Robert B. MOORE, New Orleans... Richard DIMKIN, Eng... Wm. LINN, Mass... ? HUTCHINSON.... Wm. JOHNSON, Pa... E. NELSON... Geo TUMLINSON... Wm. DEARDORF... Daniel BOURNE, Eng... ? INGRAM, Eng... W. T. LEWIS, Wales...? HARRIS, Ky.....John FLANDERS...Isaac RYAN, Opelousas, La....David WILSON, Texas....John M. HAYS Tenn... ? STUART... W. K. SIMPSON... W. D. SUTHERLAND, Texas... D. W. HOWELL, New Orleans... ? BUTLER... Charles SMITH... ? Mc GREGOR, Scotland... ? RUSK... ? HAWKINS, Ireland... Samuel HOLLOWAY... ? BROWN... T. JACKSON, Ireland... The FOLLOWING people were from GONZALES, TEXAS: ... James GEORGE....Dolphin WARD, ... Thos.JACKSON... Geo. W. COTTLE... Andrew KENT... Thos. R. MILLER... Isaac BAKER... Wm. KING... Jessee McCOY... Claiborne WRIGHT... Wm. FISHBACK... Isaac MILLSAPS... Galba FUQUA... John DAVIS... Albert MARTIN... Following are NOT from Texas, does not list where they are from.....? John, CLERK to DESANGUE.... B. A. M. THOMAS.... Wm. FUHBAIGH... John G. KING... Jacob DURST.... Charles ZANCO, Denmark.... Jas L. EWING... Robert CUNNINGHAM... S. BURNS, Ireland... George NEGGIN, S. C. ? ROBINSON, Scotland... M. L. SEWELL... Robert WHITE... A. DEVAULT... John HARRIS.... Andrew KENT... and Wm. E. SUMMERS.

READ A MESSAGE 04/15/94

From: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
Subject: Gilberts
Sent on: 04/13 at 01:03AM

Dear Melanie, *P is so much easier than writing on the word processor. The more I read, the more I don't see how either Bourland will could be our Sally Gilbert. I wonder if Sally Bourland was married twice and John Gilbert was her second husband? The Bourland has to be related somehow, given Ambrose Bourland Gilbert's name. I think we may have skipped a Gilbert generation. You mentioned my possibly having another Roberts line. I will die, I promise. The Isaac Roberts certainly was doing business with the Gilberts, based on the deeds. I'm going to try to do a time line and see if that helps and I also want to write Mr. GIlbert in SC and see what he thinks. He's the one who put everything together in the first place, I think, and all the Sarah Grace Bourland stuff eventually works back to him. The Rev. John and Sallie Gilbert's daughter, Melinda (who married Nicks)had the middle name of Caroline. Oh dear. I have checked Sistler's TN book & there were only a few early Gilberts who left wills: James Z. Gilbert, Bedford Co., 1855,msc rec-2-636; Jesse Gilbert, 1815, wb-3-71, Stewart Co.; Jesse Gilbert, 1815, wb-3-95; Jesse Gilbert, 1851, Stewart Co., wb-g-398; John Gilbert, 1857, wb-16-553, Rutherford Co.; Mary Gilbert, 1847, record book-k-389, Montgomery Co.; Samuel Gilbert, 1840, loose records, Giles Co.; Samuel, 1844, wb-g-1, Henry Co., William Gilbert, 1837 record book-g-567, Montgomery Co.; William Gilbert, 1861, wb-i-345, Stewart Co. That gives us something to work on. Unfortunately, Bedford Co. is a burned county. I don't know about Maury Co. records. Sistler is a really careful researcher. Do you think it is worth writing Nashville to get these wills? I don't think we'll find them all abstracted. Would it be easier to order the mirofilm from LDS? More later. Patsy

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WRITE A MESSAGE 04/15/94

SEND TO: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
SUBJECT: Gilberts

Hi Patsy, Glad to hear from you. I just returned home after staying in Houston all week on business. It is easier to just stay down there than to drive 35 miles every morning at 6 A.M. I went to the genealogy library last night and looked at as many of the Maury Co., TN books as I could. Didn't find a whole lot, but what I found might give us helpful clues. I found Isaac Roberts living there. Also, there was a John Gilbert and a Jeremiah Gilbert living there at the same time. I found a deed where James Holland was the winning bidder on William Gilbert's land in a sheriff's sale. Also, there was a biography that I found saying that William Gilbert's widow, Sarah McCandless, lived on the Gilbert land on Fountain Creek. Also, there was a deed for a John Gilbert, Sr. Alexander M. Gilbert was there also. I think that all or most of our Gilberts moved to Maury Co., TN at about the same time. In other words, around 1810, when James Holland and Sarah left Rutherford Co., NC and moved to TN. I will send you copies of what I found. As I have said, I don't know where my uncle got that Rev. John's wife was Caroline Barker. My John Caperton McNatt and Sallie R. Gilbert named their first daughter Nancy Caroline. John Caperton McNatt's mother was Nancy Smith. I just assumed that they named this daughter for his mother and Sallie Gilbert's mother since Uncle Eldon said that Sallie's mother was Caroline Barker. Also, it is Jacob Roberts, not Isaac Roberts who I think is the father of the wife of the John Gilbert who is in Lauren's Co., SC. Regarding the wills, I could order the microfilm from Salt Lake City at the Family History Center here in Kingwood. It probably wouldn't cost as much as writing to Nashville. That is, if the Mormans have microfilmed them. Would you please send me a copy of the

newspaper account of the sale of William Gilbert's land that named his heirs. I looked in a book of Maury Co., TN newspapers but it wasn't in that book. I did find where Sarah Holland was selling her land. This was after James Holland died and she was about to move to live with her daughter. I am willing to develop a plan with you and divide it up. The answers have to be somewhere. I love a challenge. I'm going back to the genealogy libray week after next and will see what else I can find. Also plan to go the the LDS Family History Center next week. If there is anything on Rutherford Co., NC I will order it. Bye for now, Melanie

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WRITE A MESSAGE 04/17/94

SEND TO: ETRH55A
SUBJECT: Gilberts

Hi Patsy, Received your snail mail on Saturday. Thank you! First, I am going to Nashville in May. (Happy Feelings). Our son lives there, so we are going to visit them. I am going two days before Rodney and plan to do research. I want to go to the archives on one of the days. Will you make a list of what you think I should look for? Also, do you think that anything would be gained by my going down to Columbia? It is not a long drive at all. Next week when I go to Clayton Library, I am going to look at what the archives has to offer.

I have had time to look over the pages I copied at Clayton the other day. I am not so sure that the John Gilbert who is on the 1820 census is our John. His age is right, but there are only two children in the household, a son up to 10 years of age and a daugher up to 10 years of age. In 1820, our John should have several other children still living at home. The female who could be a wife is only 16-26.

In Maury Co. Deed Bk E, p. 28 is this: Samuel H. Williams, Maury Co. sheriff, to James Holland, 5000 a. on Fountain Creek, land grant to William Gilbert, levied on as a result of suit of Chas. B. Nelson vs. heirs of William Gilbert. James Holland high bidder at $3053. dated 10 Dec 1811, recorded 29 Oct 1812. It appears that Holland bought William Gilbert's land at sheriff's sale. I could not find anything about the lawsuit of Nelson vs. Gilbert heirs. Maybe that is something I will find while in TN.

Regarding the newspaper article you sent. Do you think that the Sally Gilbert listed is William Gilbert's widow? Also, do you think that we should work on the theory that the William Gilbert named as an heir could

be the father of our John? Or perhaps Philip Gilbert. Could this William be the same one who died in SC in 1822?

It does not appear that the John Gilbert on the 1800 Laurens Co. census is our John. That is, unless Ambrose B. Gilbert was born earlier that we think and if there was another son that we do not have since in 1800, this John Gilbert already had two sons. Does your SC Gilbert correspondant say that the wife of William Gilbert who died in 1822 in Laurens Co., SC was Sarah Alston? Somehow I had detirmined that she was the daughter of Francis Brown. This was probably from Francis' will in Laurens Co.

I believe that I got that Doc. A. Gilbert's name was Addison from Maurice's information. That's where I got the Bourland for Ambrose's middle name also. Bye for now, Melanie

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READ A MESSAGE 04/20/94

From: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
Subject: Gilberts
Sent on: 04/19 at 06:45PM

Dear Melanie, Today I sent you the correspondence I've had on the Gilberts and a family Bible that shows some Gilberts with the middle name Bourland. I forgot that Alexander McC. Gilbert was said to have been a bachelor. I hope the lady in Granbury has some answers. If our John wasn't the son of William, the immigrant, or John his son, that leaves William and Phillip as possible fathers.

I grew up in Birmingham and Memphis and moved here to go to graduate school. The older I get, the more I miss living in the South. I thought I was getting away from the heat, but St. Louis is at least as hot as Memphis in the summer, just not for as long. Vanderbilt is a very popular school to apply to from our school--about 25 applications this year. The school obviously isn't going to take them all, even if they are qualified. I want Caroline to look at Rice, also. IT is such a fantastic school. She loved the 5 girls from Dallas who were also in the Swiss semester program they were in last fall. She visited one of them over spring break. We also looked at Trinity in San Antonio.

We had just the most horrible week. A friend of ours was murdered last Wednesday. He arrived for his morning swim at 6 a.m. at the Y (2 miles from our house) and two men who wanted his new Jeep Cherokee shot him in the back of the head. They also apparently killed an 18 yr. old boy the night before for $1 and then stole 2 or 3 cars before killing our friend. They were on a week cocaine binge and both, of course, were on parole. My friend had a wife and two children here, and two grown daughters by a former marriage. I've just never seen so much pain. I think it would help us all if we could feel like we as individuals could somehow help reduce this violent crime.

This happened in a "nice" neighborhood, just on the edge of the most expensive housing areas of St. Louis.
I forgot to send my latest letter from Mr. Gilbert because I have it out to answer. Will copy it. I'm going to try to get your material organized to write him.
I was also going to suggest that Sally Rogers might have married the SON John, but obviously not if her name was Eliz. Alston.
By the way, I was always told that our Gilberts came from England in the 1600s. My grandmother's cousin had a full set of English plate (that was supposed to have been given to my grandmother, oh well) that the family supposedly brought from England. I was always told they were "of quality." (Don't you love that?"
Let's hope you hear from your TX lady. I am more and more convinced that what we get from most people all originated with Mr. Gilbert. Patsy West

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WRITE A MESSAGE 04/20/94

SEND TO: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
SUBJECT: Gilberts

Dear Patsy, I am so sorry about your friend. This world has become just a terrifying place. I worry so much about our daughter driving around in Houston at night. She has night classes at the law school because they try to accomodate those who work and go to the school also. One of her professors was attacked in a parking lot near the school just this week. It doesn't matter where you are now, crime just seems to be rampant. Angela looked at Trinity in San Antonio when she was preparing for college. She like the campus but decided that she wanted to go to a larger school, but not as large as UT or A&M, so she decided on Baylor. Baylor worked out for her, but she did not like Waco.

Yes, it looks like we will have to concentrate on Philip and William Gilbert as the father of our John. My family story on the Gilberts is that the family descended from an original inhabitant of the 1607 Jamestown Colony. That hardly seems likely if we are successful in tracing Rev. John back to William Gilbert who came to America in the mid 1700's.

I will look forward to receiving what you have sent. Work on that list of things for me to look for in TN. I booked our tickets this morning and am already excited. Bye for now, Melanie

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READ A MESSAGE 04/23/94

From: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
Subject: Gilberts
Sent on: 04/22 at 11:43PM

Dear Melania, When I got my phone, the guy told me that usually you unlock by pressing a function key (5 on mine) and then entering the last 3 digits of the cellular phone number. He said most thieves know this. Wonderful, huh. Tomorrow is the memorial service for our friend who was murdered a week ago Wed. Age 51, 4 children, 2 grown and a 14 and 11 yr. olds. So much for "safe" neighborhoods. Tonight we were on our way to dinner and a group of kids was walking down the street. As we passed, they shook their stick at us and yelled "f... you." I just despise all of this aggressive behavior. Not to mention that it is scary. My grandmother's cousin said, I think, that the Gilberts were in Virginia first. I don't know that there is a record proving that William Gilbert came to America from Ireland. Will work on my list early next week. Exactly when are you going?
Patsy

WRITE A MESSAGE 04/23/94

SEND TO: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
SUBJECT: Gilberts

Dear Patsy, I found out that you unlock Angela's phone the same way you do yours. At least she will now have as much protection as the phone provides, at least when she is in her car and can get to it. As far as parking lots go, anybody is fair game. Rodney and I just want to move out into the country far away from urban life. We have a dream of about 10 acres with about 3 acres of it as a pond. I have a friend who has the same dream. She says even if she has to live in a double wide trailer, she will be happy.

I have some info on some Virginia Gilberts that I found at Clayton. None of it seems to connect with our Gilberts, although I did find a lady in nearby Katy, TX whose is from that line. In a history book on Rutherford Co., NC it says that William Gilbert came to America and settled first in Philadelphia where he met and married Sarah McCanless (sic) of that city. They traveled to Charleston, S.C. from Philadelpia and then came to Old Tryon County which became Rutherford County. It also says that William Gilbert brought a group of Scotchmen to NC where they manufactured furniture and other wood products. This is in the stuff that I sent you. We could probably check out the furniture manufacturing part easily enough.

I am going to TN on May 18th, so we have plenty of time to prepare for my attack.

My thoughts will be with you tomorrow. Keep your chin up and try to think happy thoughts. Pile in the car and drive out into the country and have a picnic. Run real hard and scream real loud. Do anything to relieve the stress or it will do as much damage as all these creeps crawling on our streets. Stress just takes longer and is more insidious.

WRITE A MESSAGE 04/25/94

SEND TO: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
SUBJECT: Gilberts

Dear Patsy, I'm glad you made it through the weekend all right. I spent the second Saturday in a row working in the yard. Planted some poseys this time and supervised (ha ha) some guys who were cutting down two enormously tall pine trees that would have surely come down on us or our neighbors if we have a hurricane this year. Not being pessimistic, just that we are due for a big one in these parts.

I received the info you sent. Verrry interesting some of the things Mr. Gilbert says in his letters to you. You may not have heard from him in a while because you questioned the dates of Rev. John and the possibility of his not being a son of William (1) Gilbert. Some people are like that, especially the older researchers who have their minds made up. I am still going over what you sent. Also, I have made a timeline assuming that the John Gilbert who was in Laurens, SC is ours. I have to type it up and then I'll send it to you.

Bye the way, you mentioned in one of your letters to Mr. Gilbert that you had a picture of D.A. Gilbert and wife. Do you suppose you could send me a copy of it? I have a book about Aurora, MO that has a picture of John C. McNatt and Sallie Gilbert's sons in it. I will copy it and send it to you.

I am so glad that you sent the Bible record. I really treasure them. I have several from other lines, but none of them are as legible as the one you sent. It had information in it that I didn't have also.

Well, I must go and do my fingernails because I am going into town and have lunch with Angela tomorrow. After Saturday in the flowerbeds, the finger-

Angela is in the middle of studying for her finals. Boy, is she stressed. We thought an hour away for lunch would help matters. Bye for now. Melanie

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READ A MESSAGE 04/25/94

From: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
Subject: Gilberts
Sent on: 04/25 at 09:05AM

Dear Melanie, The stuff about William Gilbert making furniture rings big bells. That is what my grandmother's cousin said about the old Gilberts of our line. She said they made gorgeous fine furniture and she had some of it. She never married. Her name was Bessie D. Morton (and was related on her paternal AND maternal sides to my grandmother) and she lived in Nashville. I wasn't notified when she died and I have no idea what happened to her t her furniture. I can remember it as a child. It was a breakfront and tables and chairs--all cherry wood and to die for. If I'd known she had died, I would have bought it. Ah well.
The funeral was as good as they can be, but it is just so sad for his family.
For now, Patsy

READ A MESSAGE 05/08/94

From: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
Subject: Are You OK?
Sent on: 05/07 at 05:20PM

Dear Melanie, Have been really busy this week earning money! I do a few newsletters, etc. for groups and it's that time of year. Hope your ear is OK. The more I look at what we've got, the more my guess is that our REv. John's father was William. You might call Byron Sistler's office when you're in Nashville or drop by there. I'm sure his wife would give you some ideas. Their office is where the Middle Tenn. Genealogy Society is. I'm going to write AL to see if I can get estate records for A.Mc. Gilbert, also. Maybe he names his nephews. Happy Mother's Day. When do you go to TN? Patsy

READ A MESSAGE 05/10/94

From: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
Subject: Trip to Nashville
Sent on: 05/08 at 09:47PM

Dear Melanie, Would you send a copy of Mr. Gilbert's letter, also. I am still working with the material you sent. I have been abstracting it all by date and I hope some patterns will pop up. I still plan to try to come up with some questions for strategy on your trip. I'm glad Mr. G. isn't DEFINITE about Sally Bourland. If you(we) are right, there must be a Bourland wife further back. I'm going to write the Bourland Fam. Assoc., of which I am a member, and see if they have anything that might help us. Also, I want to alert them to the fact that Sallie Bourland isn't a definite. They have all that in their data base and have published it. I wish I could meet you in Nashville. Maybe what you don't get done, I can do if I'm able to make a trip this summer there. I've been told to make COPIES of everything when you travel and leave the originals at home. Just in case a pretty briefcase gets stolen or lost. I took all my files to Dallas and it really made me nervous. ALso, my brief case was so heavy I nearly broke my arm.Mrs. Sistler is really nice. I've done a few things for the Middle TN publication and she's awfully helpful. I need to start working on Madison Co., TN for my Williams line. My first Wms was b 1832 just after his father died, so I'm hoping to find guardianship records. They, too, came fr. NC. Went to see "Belle Epoch" today at the movies What fun! Did I tell you that the fourth wedding in "Four Weddings & a Funeral" was filmed while we were in London last summer. The church is St. Bart's and it's right across from the flat we stayed in. For about 4 days we tripped all over the actors and film people, but I had no idea I'd ever see the movie. Wish I could go back this year. That was the most fun vacation we've ever had. I love London. Happy

READ A MESSAGE 05/12/94

From: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
Subject: New Info
Sent on: 05/11 at 07:06PM

Dear Melanie, Am sending a pkg. snail mail tomorrow. I think the early Jno Gilbert in TN was s/o William I. I think Rev. John didn't leave SC until 1817 or so when he was selling land. The latter is clearly the hubby of Sarah Roberts. Have some ideas about the Roberts which I'm sending. My Roberts sisters who m. Gilbert brothers had a sister Nancy, who m James Littleton Foster. The mother of my Roberts sisters, Sarah Smith Roberts, had a sister who m William Brown. The Smiths-Roberts were in NC/SC and to TN. Haven't done deed work on them, but am suspicious that Sarah Roberts GILBERT might be the sister of my John Roberts, father of the 2 sisters who married DA and Washington A. Gilbert. That would mean they married first cousins, and it gets worse after that, if it is true. Jacob Roberts did have a son John. This is purely speculation at this time. But I noticed running into Fosters, Moores, and Browns in the NC/SC records you had sent. Ah well. Nancy Roberts (1802 NC-1867 TN) m James Littleton Foster in Nov. 1820. He was the s/o Joel Lewis Foster and Mary Jane Armstrong Foster. JLF had 10 chn. Am in touch with Foster and Brown descendants and will check to see if they go back to NC/SC. We'll see. Interesting possibility. Later, Patsy

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I am going to call Mr. Sistler tonight. A friend of mine who lives here has already called him as an introduction for me. I will ask him what he suggests my plan of action should be considering the time I have. If I can't find anything worthwhile, then perhaps we should ask him to do what you suggested. I will be glad to share the cost with you.

I will contact you after I get back. Boy, I wish you could be there with me also. That archives probably wouldn't know what hit them if we could go after this thing together. What I wish we could do is go to South Carolina also.

Bye for now, wish me luck.

Hugs, Melanie

WRITE A MESSAGE 06/18/94

SEND TO: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
SUBJECT: Trip etc

Hi Patsy, Glad to hear from you. Also, glad to hear your trip was so much fun. I am putting a package into the mail for you today. The letter was written before I read this message. I have contacted one of the ladies that Phyllis Files told me about. I am sending you copies of what Phyllis sent that the lady sent her. Her ancestor is the James Gilbert who is found in Bedford Co., TN and we didn't know who he belonged to. I am going to be offline from now until Friday. Firstly, I'm also having computer problems. When I use WordPerfect, there are strange little symbols popping up all over the screen. My computer man thinks it's a bad video card. My system is new also. While I have it in, I'm going to get a faster modem. Mine is 2400 and I am told by other people that they can download a days worth of messages off the bulletin board in about 10 minutes. It takes so long on mine that I never get the whole day's worth. Secondly, Rodney and I are off to Las Vegas on Monday for a safety convention. At least he is, I am going to play. I've been doing arm exercises to get ready for those slot machines.

We'll just have to keep looking for info on William Gilbert's family. I'm thinking that if he and Sarah did go to Charleston, SC first, as you will see in the info I'm sending, then maybe that is where his family was, not Charlestown, Mass. Charleston, SC was called Charlestown in those early days.

Well, have to run now and take my 'puter to the hospital. Talk to you later,

"LAS VEGAS OR BUST!"

Melanie

READ A MESSAGE 06/18/94

From: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
Subject: Trip etc
Sent on: 06/17 at 12:09AM

Dear Melanie, We're back. Had a great trip to Boston. Charlestown is across the river from Harvard. I talked with a couple of librarians before I left home and no one seemed to have much Gilbert info. indexed and none in the right place. I didn't have time to go anywhere in Boston. We were scheduled the whole time. If you see Al Gore's speech at Harvard on C-span, I'm in a bunch of crowd shots of women. My 15 minutes of fame. The reunion was so much fun. All of Bruce's roommates and families were there. We've stayed in touch, so it was great to get together. I think the last time was about 16 years ago. The kids were grouped by age and had activities planned. We saw them for breakfast and then again at midnight. Terrific. We went up to Maine for the weekend to a roommate's house and then back to Boston on Mon. to look at other schools in Boston. Tufts is wonderful; Simmons is in a terrible area. Saw your note on the bb re: Gilberts. Anything new in the info. you received from Phyllis. Are these new Gilbert researchers she put you in touch with? I'm dying to hear. Checked our local library for Mass. info and it's crummy, so I have to go downtown to the public library which has a ton of stuff. I'm having trouble booting my mouse so I have to take the entire NEW system in again, so I may be off-line some. Couldn't boot the mouse all day yesterday. Bother! Let me hear from you. I'm glad to be home. Patsy

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READ A MESSAGE 04/21/94

From: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
Subject: Gilberts
Sent on: 04/20 at 07:44PM

Dear Melanie, Get your daughter a cellular phone. I just got one on Friday. It's a Motorola flip phone that I can carry in my purse and Caroline can take it with her when she's driving. The phone cost $20 from the cellular phone company and the monthly fee is 29.50. I could have gotten a $14.50 plan if I had planned to use it only for emergencies.
I think we may have to look up the research Mr. G. has done. I think what he has found is accurate. I'm just not sure about citations and I don't know if he picked and chose among deeds, etc. If Philip and William lived in Bedford Co. (the part of Giles that our Rev. John lived in became Bedford), then we are in BIG trouble. I think I sent you a list of Gilbert wills in TN which are on microfilm. Then I would check Maury Co. deeds, wills & adm., guardainship records, etc., circuit court records. I have the Lincoln Co. record books and there's nothing there. You need to know county formation, also:
Maury Co. formed in 1807 from Williamson
Giles Co. formed 1809 from Maury Co.
Bedford Co. formed 1807 from Rutherford
Marchall Co. formed 1836 from Bedford, Lincoln, Giles, Maury.
Rutherford Co. formed 1803 from DavidsonDavidson Co. formed 1783 from Washington. Unfortunately, they could be in any of those,depending on the date. Sistler has several statewide indexes that are as good as anything. Also, he and his wife run the Middle Tenn Genealogicial Society in Nashville. You might drop by there or call to get ideas. The librarian was also really helpful to me in Dallas. I forgot marriage records. Newspapers have pretty much been done in the books I looked at. Baptist church records might be available. I'll make up a list of questions this weekend. Wouldn't if be

funny if we don't descend from William?

I would also look for Baker and Bourland and Holland, etc., too. I found some Rowan Co. deeds under a wife's name that I didn't have that identified her and her husband and one son. Big help. I suspect the big genealogy library in Nashville has most of the NC records. I definitely think you need a plan because you don't have that much time. You can also check for Gilbert or county books. More later. Patsy

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WRITE A MESSAGE 04/21/94

SEND TO: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
SUBJECT: Gilberts

Dear Patsy, Angela already has a car phone but she has done something that has locked it and I am in the process of finding out how to unlock it. I have one of the Motorola car phones that is probably like yours. It is really neat and handy to carry. It also has a hookup to use in the car on the cigarette lighter so the battery is spared. I think that I will get Angela one like it because hers is one of the larger models.

You know, it appears that we have quite a boondoggle on our hands with researching in TN. All those county changes are the pits. I sat down last night and started going through my Gilbert stuff page by page and writing down things that need to be looked up. Already have a three page list. Also, went to the LDS FHC yesterday but, alas, they were in the midst of a major remodeling project. In fact, they were having a hole knocked in an outside wall to put in a new door. The church was vandalized a couple of years ago and since then the doors are kept locked at all times. The people in the FHC have to walk across the building to open the door after we ring a bell. This new door will make it much more convenient for everyone. However, I did look up some Rutherford Co. records on the microfiche. There are some books in SLC that are not on film and these books are not at Clayton Library either. I will list them next time and perhaps you will have access to them. I am going back to the FHC after the remodeling is completed and there is more time to look more and to order microfilm.

One thing that I noticed that I hadn't noticed before is that by 1860, Melinda Caroline Gilbert must have died because Samuel Nicks is on the census with a new wife but the same children that were on the 1850 census along with what appears to be a stepchild. He had changed

counties also. I didn't have time to check the 1860 TN census for Gilberts to see if any of them were in that new county in 1860. Of course, that doesn't help us with our problem of who went before Rev. John, but it is something new to add to descendent info.
Yes, it would be something if our ancestor isn't William Gilbert of NC. However, there seems to be an association of our Gilbert family with that of William Gilbert. Another thing that I noted last night was that Bookter Gilbert was in Clarke Co., AL in 1819 and Alex. M. Gilbert died there in 1817. Bookter Gilbert is the one who was selling land in SC that he bought from John Gilbert. Then, we have those Robert's and Browns who moved to Maury Co., TN.
Well, I'm almost to the end of this six pages and one of my fellow DAR members is due for help with some applications so I will close for now. TTYL, Melanie

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READ A MESSAGE 05/10/94

From: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
Subject:
Sent on: 05/10 at 07:12PM

Dear Melanie, Found something else yesterday in the Middle TN Genealogy quarterly, Vol 7, No. 1, Summer 1993. Minutes of the Superior Court of NC & Mero District. Mero Dist. comprised all of what is now middle TN. NC still claimed ownership of TN region. Court convened from 1788 to 1809. WPA transcribed court minutes & put them in 4 books which are in the TN State Library & ARchives. Originals now lost.Pages are from WPA typed material.
Page 86
Finis Ewing vs. Isaac Robert
Case: Assult & Bettery
Declaration: IN 1791 in Mero Dist., with staves and swords, Isaac ROBERTS, assulted Finis Ewing & did best, wound and ill treat him whereby Ewing was in danger of losing his life.
Verdict: Defandant ROBERTS found guilty of trespass, assult & battery as charged... and award plantiff Finis Ewing sixpence in damages and sixpence in costs.
Page 88
Finis Ewing vs Isaac Roberts, James Mears
Case: Witness attendance:
James Mears, witness proved L2,7s
John Harvey, witness, L1,11s,2d
Thomas French, witness proves L2,10s

William Taitt vs John Deadrick
Case: Motion for a new trial
Declaration: Plaintiff asked for a new trail dur to the misbehavior of one of the jurors...opinion of the court that no new trial was necessary.
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The following persons were impannelled as Grand Jurors: Isaac ROBERTS (foreman),.....
MIddle TN Genealogy, Vol 7, No2,Fall 1993: Pages refer to WPA books
page 94, May term 1793
Corneleus Tison vs. John Gilbert

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wrongfully converting another's goods to
his own use.
Verdict: Gilbert found guilty. Tison
awarded L40 plus costs.
MTG, Vol. 7, No. 3, Winter 1994
Page 106 (may Term 1793)(WPA pages)
The Territory vs. Lauzerus Cotton
Jury..John Gilbert, James Foster [NOTE:
he married into our Gilbert line-pw]
MTG, Vol 7, no. 4, Spring 1994
Page 107, May term 1793
Summons as pros. juror: John Gilbert
Pretty good, huh.
Patsy

READ A MESSAGE 05/30/94

From: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
Subject: Gilberts
Sent on: 05/26 at 10:39PM

Dear Melanie, I don't know about Edythe Rucker Whitley's collection. Her name seems familiar as a compiler. What did she work on? We probably need to recheck the 1850 census to see if John's wife was with one of the kids. I don't think I've checked anything execpt D.A. and his brother Washington. By the way, there is no proof for the Addison part of D.A. Gilbert's name. On his Civil War claim he is listed as Doctor A. Gilbert. (What a studpid name.) I wonder if the A. is Alexander. We'll never know because he apparently always signed his documents D.A. Gilbert. I would love to know why his first name was Doctor? Do you suppose Caroline Barker could be John's second wife?
I also want to get copies of the law suit brought when Alex. McC Gilbert bought his father's land in TN. I bet there may be more family relationships in that. All we have now is the newspaper report. >
I'm busy entering my Newsom line into the computer. It's a tedious chore. They go back to 1607 in VA and three or four of the families are well documented in VA publications, Tyler's Quarterly and the FFV book, Ancestors of Person & Purse. I'm finally getting the hang of Roots 4. It is just so different from Roots 3 and the documentation is hundreds of pages long. I've called tech support several times. Part of the problem is that i don't use it often> enough to remember everything.
Am looking forward to Bruce's reunion. I like his five roomies a lot and haven't seen some of them in 20 years. We've all stayed in touch. One used to live in St. Louis, but moved to Baltimore to Johns Hopkins about 4 years ago, and I am really, really looking forward to seeing him and his family again. My son started spending the night at their house when he was 2, he

felt so comfortable. Caroline is doing fine driving, so far. It's a big help not to have to drive them to tennis. The kids are getting ready for exams, which start next Friday. I'll be glad when summer is here. How was "Greater Tuna"? I need to go downtown to the public library genealogy room. It has better county information, but it is such a problem parking down there. Will do that at the beginning of the summer and see what I can find in these other TN counties. Later, Patsy

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READ A MESSAGE 05/31/94

From: PATRICIA WEST (ETRH55A)
Subject: Boston trip
Sent on: 05/30 at 11:33PM

Dear Melanie,
I am assuming William Gilbert was b about 1735, according to DAR records. That would mean I should search MA records for about 1735-1770. I think our first record for him in NC is 1769, buying land. Is that correct. Bruce says there is a Charlestown right across the river from Cambridge, where we'll be. I checked the Handbook for Genealogists and could not find a town before 1800 by the name of Charles Town, Charlestown or Charleston, MA. I did find a Charlton, MA in Worcester Co. formed in 1754. That would also be a possibility. There are several places in Boston I could wokr--State archives, Boston PUblic Library, NE Hist. Gen. Society, MA Hist. Society, SAR nat'l office and the Am. Antiquarian Society Library in Worcester, MA. I probably only have 1/2 to 3/4 of a day to work. I'm tied up at Harvard Tues-Thurs. Fri. Caroline is visiting colleges & I might be able to work that day. Fri night we go to Maine for the weekend and then back to Boston to catch our plane on Monday. I'll make some calls to Boston to see if someone can suggest the best place for me to go. The Charlestown Bruce is talking about is probably in Suffolk Co (with Boston) or Middlesex Co with East Cambridge. Wouldn't it be marvelous to find something there. Vital records for early times are really excellend in MA. Send me your Newsoms. My earliest Newsom was in VA by about 1635 and is really well documented. The line is documented by Holtzclaw in Va Mag. to the 6th generation (late 1700s).I bet yours fit in somewhere. IT was a big family and I suspect most American Newsoms come from them. This family also has a probable 6 generations in England/Ireland. If you know anything else that might help in MA, let me know. We don't know about how old Wm

was when he went to Philly, do we?

I know there is a well-documented, very old Gilbert line in New England. Maybe we fit into that. We also don't have any evidence that Wm travelled with a brother or anyone else, do we? I meant Holland buying Wm Gilbert's land in TN. Sorry. Got to go to bed. Happy Memorial Day. Patsy

Msg No: 424. Tue 5-31-94 12:27
From: Doug Jones
To: Bonnie Ann Smith
Subject: RE: GILBERTS; N.C. -> GE

Hi Bonnie Ann,
Your GILBERTS are my "mystery GILBERTS". I have found references to Alexander and William GILBERT being in NC but nothing definitive on WM as to where. Alexander moved to SC and then to Rutherford Co. NC
The reference I found on WM indicated he was a private in the Rev War was b. 1758 d. 1833 and m. Tamar Strickland. There is also a WM who was a pensioner b.1757 d. 1835 and was a Pvt NC. you can get his pension re uest (these are neat) to check for ties. I also saw a JOHN 1750-1815 from GA who m. Mary Strickland but cannot tie him in either. The WM GILBERT I know has 9 children, all born in SC and was in Laurens Co SC in 1790.
Lastly, there is a line of GILBERTS tied through WM GILBERT b. 1765 NC d. 1835GA father Jesse, mother Sarah GREENE that is being researched out of Missouri. These tie in way back to Josiah GILBERT in CT.
Anyway, I've started to ramble...post me a bit more or I can copy a disk and I'll send you my giagantic GILBERT research. There are lots of loose ends in this file, so beware. All I ask in return is when you tie one in let me know and I'll add it back to the tree. Regards, Doug

* SLMR 2.1a * Tell me again why you named your kid "Rasputin?"

--- Maximus/2 2.01wb
* Origin: Carolina Connections (1:3647/1)

From: Doug Jones
To: Melanie Nolan Msg #82, May-25-94
10:34:00
Subject: Gilbert

Hi Melanie,

You are kin to my GILBERTS from Laurens and Newberry Counties SC. They all headed to Tennessee in the early 1800's settling in Giles, Lincoln and Maury Counties. One branch of the GILBERTS split and went to Lauderdale and Limestone Counties AL. William had the following children: James, Sarah (m. John Dean), Elizabeth (m. ___ Collins), Mary (m. ___ Wilson), William Jr., John, Nancy (m M.A. Hunter), Jeremiah, Rebecca (yours I suspect m.___ Burchfield), and Joshua.

I thought I had posted you regarding the entire GILBERT lineage, but I have found some of my messages evaporationg into space or at least not garnering a response. If you wish to get the entire GILBERT line back to 800 AD post me when you get this and I'll either snail mail you a disk or tell you where you can get the data.

Regards,
Doug

* SLMR 2.1a * An egotist thinks he's in the groove when he's in a rut.

--- Maximus/2 2.01wb
* Origin: Carolina Connections (1:3647/1)

*** See also #887.

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Area 3: National Genealogy Conference (FIDO)
From: Doug Jones
To: Melanie Nolan Msg #617, May-30-94
12:28:08
Subject: Gilbert in SC 1/

Hi Melanie,
Yup, I posted a reply but it appears to have gone into the twilight

zone. Anyway here is the GILBERT line, I have verified so far:
DESCENDANCY CHART for Sir John Gilbert


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01 Sir John Gilbert
   Born on 00--1600?
   Died in 0000
Sp ???
   02 William Gilbert
   Sp ???
      03 Thomas Gilbert
         Born in 1582
         Died on 05-Sep-1659
      Sp Lydia Gilbert
         Born on 1586?
         Died on 1653/1654?
         04 Jonathan Gilbert
            Born on 1618?
            Died on 19-Dec-1682?
         04 Thomas Gilbert
            Born on 1620?
         04 Ezekiel Gilbert
            Born on 1622?
            Died in 1664
         04 Sarah Gilbert
            Born on 1624?
         04 John Gilbert
            Born on 1626?
         04 Josiah Gilbert
            Born in 1628
            Died on 22-Aug-1688
         Sp Elizabeth Belcher
            Born on 1632?
            Died on 17-Oct-1682?
            05 Benjamin Gilbert
               Born on 22-Sep-1652?
               Died on 09-Dec-1711?
            05 Elizabeth Gilbert
               Born on 08-Dec-1656?
            05 Lydia Gilbert
               Born on 08-Dec-1656?
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05 Josiah Gilbert
Born on 12-Sep-1659?
Died on 02-Feb-1705
05 Sarah Gilbert
Born on 01-Dec-1661?
Died on 1704/1705?
05 Eleazer Gilbert
Born on 20-Sep-1663?
Died on 15-Sep-1701
05 Moses Gilbert
Born on 12-Apr-1668?
Died in 1713
05 Caleb Gilbert
Born on 10-Jun-1668
Died on 0000?
Sp Elizabeth Bower
Born on 1668?
06 Caleb Gilbert
Born on 1748?
Died on 03-Mar-1806
Sp Ann Buzzhardt
Born on 0000?
Died on 1806?
07 Thomas Gilbert
Born on 1755/1774?
Died on 00--1835?
Sp Rebecca Gauntt
08 Cary Gilbert
Born on 10-Aug-1793
Died on 23-May-1865
08 David Gilbert
Born on 22-Nov-1796
Died on 12-Aug-1871
08 Thomas Gilbert
Born on 1788?
Died on 20-Jan-1855
07 Lydia Gilbert
Born on 15-Jul-1776?
Died on 24-Jan-1832
07 Joseph Gilbert
Born on 1777/1784?
Died on 12-Apr-1819?
07 Sarah Gilbert
Born on 1778/1779?
07 Scynthia Gilbert
Born on 04-May-1785
Died on 24-Jun-1840
Sp John Reagin Jr
Born on 1773?
Died on 07-Apr-1803?
08 Caleb Cub Reagin
Born on 08-Feb-1801
Died on 20-Sep-1877
Sp Sarah Ann McClure

Born on 21-Dec-1805
Died on 22-Apr-1832
09 Elizabeth Amanda Reagin
Born on 06-Dec-1826
Died on 23-Feb-1900
Sp Joseph Helm Jones
Born on 27-Sep-1815?
Died on 25-Feb-1891?
10 Alice E Jones
Born on 1849?
10 Joseph Anderson Jones
Born on 17-Mar-1852
Died on 12-Jun-1852
10 Ira P Jones
Born on 21-Jun-1853
Died on 22-Oct-1932
10 Thomas David Jones
Born on 16-Oct-1855?
Died on 23-Dec-1861
10 Charles Whitten Jones
Born on 25-May-1858?
Died on 09-Jan-1932
10 Noah S Jones
Born on 08-Sep-1860
Died on 27-Feb-1891
10 Adam C Jones
Born on 19-Feb-1864
Died on 19-Feb-1949
10 Creola Jones
Born on 20-Apr-1866
Died on 26-Oct-1933
09 Synthia Ann Reagin
Born on 25-Jun-1829
Died on 25-Jan-1859
09 Sarah Reagin
Born on 1832?
Sp Pantha Rebecca Abernathy
Born on 1812?
Died on 1861/1869?
09 Rebecca Reagin
Born on 1839?
09 Thomas Caleb Reagin
Born on 10-Aug-1834
Died on 21-Apr-1884
Sp Margaret Wright
Born in 0000
08 Scynthia Reagin
Born on 1801/1802?
07 Caleb Gilbert
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Area 3: National Genealogy Conference (FIDO)
From: Doug Jones
To: Melanie Nolan Msg #618, May-30-94
12:28:10
Subject: Gilbert in SC 2/

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                        Born on 1801?
                        Died on 1815?
                     07 Ann Gilbert
                        Born on 1802?
                  06 David Gilbert
                     Born on 22-Nov-1796
                     Died on 12-Aug-1871
                  06 Jonathan Gilbert
                     Born on 0000?
                     Died on 0000?
               05 Mary Gilbert
                  Born on 18-Nov-1670?
                  Died on 01-Dec-1712?
               05 Amy Gilbert
                  Born on 12-Apr-1672?
                  Died in 1739
            04 Thomas Gilbert
               Born on 1630?
               Died on 05-Jun-1662
            04 Obadiah Gilbert
               Born on 1630?
               Died on 23-Aug-1674?
      02 Alexander M. Gilbert
      02 Booker Gilbert
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Yesterday while searching Hinshaw, i found a JONATHAN GILBERT who m. HANAMEEL GILBERT and had eight children including CARY b.3/15/1766. Since CARY is a frequently occurring name in both my REAGIN and GILBERT lines I think it is more than a coincidence that they were in Bush River MM, SC but I haven figured out the tie to the GILBERTS I already "collected"..... Let me know what you think and I can snail you a disk full of GILBERT
data - too much to post here, if you need more.
Regards,
"Cousin?" Doug
* SLMR 2.1a * An atheist is a man who has no invisible means of support

--- Maximus/2 2.01wb
* Origin: Carolina Connections (1:3647/1)

READ A MESSAGE 07/08/94

From: GAY (PEDIGO) NIX (NDUJ67B)
Subject: GILBERT
Sent on: 07/08 at 07:17PM

MELANIE, SAW YOUR NOTE WHICH WAS VERY INTERESTING TO ME BECAUSE OF THE FOLLOWING REASONS: 1. MY GRT. GRANMOTHER REBECCA NIX DAUG. OF LEBANON NIX WAS FROM RUTHERFORD CO. N.C. 2. SHE MD. REV. GREENWOOD NICHOLS WHOSE FAMILY WERE FROM SOMEWHERE IN N.C. THEY MD. IN LINCOLN CO. TENN 1840. 3. THEY HAD A SON WM. McCANDLESS NICHOLS. 4. REV. GREENWOOD NICHOLS SISTER MARTHA MD. W.W. GILBERT IN 1867 LINCOLN CO. TENN.5.A DECEASED RELATIVE TOLD ME THER WAS A GILBERT CONNECTION, BUT COULD NEVER TELL ME JUST HOW. YOU CAN SEE WHY I WOULD BE INTERESTED IN YOUR NOTE. HAVE YOU RUN ACROSS ANY OF THESE NAMES? NIX, NICHOLS, MULLINS, EPPS IN AND AROUND LINCOLN CO. TENN.

THANKS GAY NIX

WRITE A MESSAGE 07/08/94

SEND TO: GAY (PEDIGO) NIX (NDUJ67B)
SUBJECT: GILBERT

Hi Gay, I surely have run across Nix and Nichols in Lincoln Co., TN. Melinda Caroline Gilbert, one of the daughters of my Rev. John Gilbert, married Samuel Nicks 20 Jan 1842 in Lincoln Co., TN. Melinda may have been dead by 1860, because I find Samuel T. Nix on the census with wife Levina and an 11 yr. old female who could be Levina's by a first marriage. The reason I am sure that this is the Samuel who married Melinda is because their three children are also in the household. Do you know who Samuel Nicks' parents are?

Then, Martha Nichols married William W. Gilbert, son of D.A. "Doc" Gilbert who was Melinda Caroline Gilbert's sister. Martha and W.W. married 10 Sep 1867 in Lincoln Co., TN.

My Gilbert ancestor is Sallie R. Gilbert, another sister to D.A. and Melinda Caroline and all children of Rev. John Gilbert.

I have been striving to definitely connect my Rev. John Gilbert with William and Sarah (McCandless) Gilbert of Rutherford Co., NC. You may hold the key to another piece of the puzzle.

I would really like to hear more, if you know it, about the Rutherford Co., NC and Lincoln Co., TN branches of your family.

Thank you so much for writing.

Melanie Nolan

GENEALOGY
TOPIC: SURNAMES I-Z
TIME: 07/08 9:44 PM

TO: ALL
FROM: GAY (PEDIGO) NIX (NDUJ67B)
SUBJECT: NICHOLS

ANYONE SEARCHING THE MOSES NICHOLS LINE? BORN CA. 1791 N.C. MD. CA CA 1814 ELIZABETH ? BORN 1798 N.C.:CHLIDREN BETSY, JOHN, JANE, MARY E., GREENWOOD, HENRY, WM. BRIGGS, FRANCES & MARTHA. REV.GREENWOOD NICHOLS BORN 21 JUNE 1821 TENN. MD. 13 JAN 1840 LINCOLN CO. TENN. REBECCA NIX. DIED JUNE 1880 BURIED NICHOLS CEMETERY LINCOLN CO TENN. HAD SON WILLIAM BORN NOV 1840 MD. MARY EPPS 3 APRIL 1859 MARSHALL CO. TENN. DIED 10 AUG 1908 GRAYSON CO. TX.

GAY NIX

GENEALOGY
TOPIC: SURNAMES I-Z
TIME: 07/02 8:27 AM

TO: GAY (PEDIGO) NIX (NDUJ67B)
FROM: WANDA RABB (TJRH26A)
SUBJECT: NIX

Hope you're still on to get this message! I got the following from the LDS Ancestral File:
Lebanon Nix b abt 1784 Ruth Co., NC d 1839 Jones Co., Miss
Father: William Nix Mother Unk
Wife: Rebecca b abt 1784 d 1834 TN
Children: Samuel b abt 1815 TN m Betsy Nix 1835
Wililam b abt 1817
Lebanon Jr. b abt 1819
Ann b abt 1821
Jane b abt 1823
Elizabeth Jane b 1827 d Oct 19 1855 m James Pool
m Dec 12 1844 Christian, KY
** Francis b abt 1831 (I am interested in more on this guy!)
Mary b abt 1833
Thomas b abt 1835

From another source I have the siblings of Lebanon if you are interested let me know.

Wanda

GENEALOGY
TOPIC: SURNAMES I-Z
TIME: 06/07 6:08 PM

TO: ALL
FROM: GAY (PEDIGO) NIX (NDUJ67B)
SUBJECT: NIX

LOOKIG FOR INFO ON LEBANON & REBECCA NIX B. CA. 1775
RUTHERFORD CO. N.C. DY PROB MARSHALL CO. TN. SON OF WILLIAM
NIX WHO DY 1830 RUTHERFORD CO. N.C.

GAY (PEDIGO) NIX

PRODIGY(R) interactive personal service 03/17/93 4:46 PM

GENEALOGY
TOPIC: SURNAMES A-L
TIME: 03/12 10:47 PM

TO: MICHAEL MATTHEWS (CCNJ72A)
FROM: HARRY SANDLIN (VVMH04A)
SUBJECT: BOURLAND

Greetings:
Yes to all in your note, except Polly. Have not seen her .....yet!<G>
I am working with spelling variation of: Bolling, Bohlen, Bolan, Boland, Bolen, Bolien, Bolin, Boling, Bolleyn, Bowlan, Bowland, Bowlen, Bowlin, Bowline, Bowling. I am very comfortable with the assumption that all of these >>>> could have and probably did spring from the same family in England as Robert Bolling, the immigrant, b. 26 Dec 1646, Barking Parish, Tower Street, London; d. 17 July 1709, Charles City, VA.; came to VA in 1660; md abt 1671 Jane Rolfe, grand dau of Pocahontas (whose descendants are known as "Red Bollings"). The prominent VA Bollings, as you indicated, are descended from this Robert and his first and his second marriage.
Can I now assume that those 'phonetic spellers' of yester-years also occasionally spelled 'Bolling' as Bourland? Or, is it the other way around? <G> >
I have been tracking a Benjamin Bolling in the 1700's in NC in 'Old Orange Co'. Just North of where he recieved a land grant in mid 1700's is the nest of the Borlands you mentioned in your note. And, I am getting close to thinking that they were related.....J_____Boreland had a land grant in the area (I think in 1782---too lazy to dig it out right now! <G>)
I am looking for the connection between NC and SC Bollings in abt 1780-90. Especially, those that were in SC at that time. (I now use Bolling to cover all variations--my own family spelling is Bowling.)
I am confortable with my line of Bowlings back to Jesse b. 1758 NC?; died 1841 Clay Co, KY.
Will follow your posts on Bourland with interest. If I can add anything, I will. Thanks for your interest.

Regards,
Harry

PRODIGY(R) interactive personal service 03/17/93 4:45 PM

GENEALOGY
TOPIC: SURNAMES A-L
TIME: 03/12 2:01 PM

TO: ALL
FROM: MICHAEL MATTHEWS (CCNJ72A)
SUBJECT: BOURLAND

Harry: We have quite a few apparent Bourland's with varying name spellings out of NC, but suspect you might be looking at either James, Alexander, Jean, Baxter, Andrew or Polly. Spellings varied: Bowland, Bowling, Borland, Boland, Boling, Bolling, etc. Consider our ancestors rarely had control of how tax-collectors, court clerks and census takers spelled their names. One researcher I know has spent 25 years trying to straighten this mess out. The Bollings appear to be a separate, and rather prominent fam tied in to the noted Pocohantas descendants of Thomas Rolfe et al. Maybe related to Bourlands but no proof of that. Our problem, and yours, continues to be: that any name SOUNDING like Boland might be either. Perhaps better to note all variations rather than ignore, or you might miss something. Be careful, you might end-up being a Bourland!

Michael in Dallas

PRODIGY(R) interactive personal service 03/17/93 4:42 PM

GENEALOGY
TOPIC: SURNAMES A-L
TIME: 03/13 4:46 PM

TO: JANIE WEAVER (VXNW25A)
FROM: MICHAEL MATTHEWS (CCNJ72A)
SUBJECT: BOURLAND

Janie: Re: Bourland-Loving Connection & Benjamin Bolling

Rev John Bourland m. Mary Loving, dau of Gabriel Loving 1783
Ebenezer Bourland m. Abagail Loving, sis of Mary 1790
Susannah Bourland m. Joseph Loving, grandson of Gabe 1806

There were some other marriages between desc of the two fams on down the line, sometimes betw cousins. No apparent Loving connection with my Wm. Bourland line but I remember that it was Benjamin Bourland's son James G. Bourland who urged Oliver Loving of cowboy fame to come to Texas. This was in the Loving Book page 449. They were ref to as "kinsmen" by Carl Read in this book. Do you want me to look it up and find the connection, if one really exists?

The other Benjamin Bolling has been mentioned in the Bulletins over the years, but it seems, my opinion, that many researchers wrote him off as a definate Bolling, not of the Bourland ilk.

It was based on the above mentioned marriages that Carl Read in 1981 decided to combine the fams into one society and it's true many Bourlands descend from both. Most of the society, of course, are descendants of Ebby & John, and quite a few of Ben's, and the rest to a lesser degree, esp my William (SCI). It's not that there are any fewer decs of my William, in fact there may be MORE, just unlocated.

Michael in Dallas (All secrets safe w/ me)

PRODIGY(R) interactive personal service 03/17/93 4:51 PM

GENEALOGY
TOPIC: SURNAMES A-L
TIME: 03/15 5:24 PM

TO: MICHAEL MATTHEWS (CCNJ72A)
FROM: JANIE WEAVER (VXNW25A)
SUBJECT: BOURLAND

Michael,

So much for the old note! Thanks for the Loving information. So what you're saying is that Lovings are only in-laws to me? I remain confused on the Rev. John Bourland who married Mary Loving. According to the book, this Rev. John was the one living in Laurens Co., SC. The John who lived in Laurens Co. died there in 1820, but the book says he went to KY. Will the real John please rise up!

I will order some films for Wilkes Co., NC, in an effort to start my research there. Let me know if you have already viewed these before I send in my order. Please add please to that sentence! I didn't copy down the years for these films, but they are all pre-1800. Abstract of NC Wills, Wilkes Co. Marriage Bonds, Wilkes Co. Land & Property, Wilkes Co. Marriage Bonds and Certificates. I thought I would start first in Wilkes Co. It will be 2 or 3 weeks before I get the films from AGLL. I don't want to call my order in because I don't want to get them any sooner than that! I already have some on order and don't need more pressure!

If you have already looked at these films, I'll start over. If you have, what did you find?

Janie in ABQ

PRODIGY(R) interactive personal service 03/17/93 4:51 PM

GENEALOGY
TOPIC: SURNAMES A-L
TIME: 03/15 8:33 PM

TO: JANIE WEAVER (VXNW25A)
FROM: MICHAEL MATTHEWS (CCNJ72A)
SUBJECT: BOURLAND

Janie:
Oliver Loving was a Bourland, s. of Joseph Loving and Susannah Mary "Polly" Bourland, she dau of William, son of John the Immigrant. If your Benjamin was s. of John too, as you suggest, then you are related by blood to many, many Lovings, but you are not a Loving. The connection is that many Lovings are Bourlands. Hope I don't get ZAPPED again >
There were three possible John Bourlands in the 1790 SC census but none with the name spelled that way, as was the case with ALL Bourlands then. There was plenty of room for both Rev John and John Bouland, a Bourland, son of my Wm. Bourland (SCI). At least two diff John's show on tax lists as well. I don't believe the Immigrant John ever made it to SC but some of his sons came down for land grants with quit rents, where they didn't have to pay right away, but diff than mastercard where you pay forever.
Let me think about answer to Q re: NC films.
Michael in Dallas

PRODIGY(R) interactive personal service 03/17/93 4:52 PM

GENEALOGY
TOPIC: SURNAMES A-L
TIME: 03/16 7:51 PM

TO: MICHAEL MATTHEWS (CCNJ72A)
FROM: JANIE WEAVER (VXNW25A)
SUBJECT: BOURLAND

Michael,

I'm pretty sure my Benjamin was the son of John Bourland who was in Wilkes Co., NC, in 1784. But this John Bourland was not the immigrant. Right? Will wait to hear about the films. Janie in ABQ

PRODIGY(R) interactive personal service 03/28/93 6:04 PM

GENEALOGY
TOPIC: SURNAMES A-L
TIME: 03/26 11:14 AM

TO: JANIE WEAVER (VXNW25A)
FROM: MICHAEL MATTHEWS (CCNJ72A)
SUBJECT: BOURLAND

Janie:
The book we were talking about should be on it's way to me, then I'll add some info for you and mail it to you by Monday I hope. I think you'll like it as it adds a lot of cousins to that line. John's research is boxed-up and now gathering dust, so think I'll return at first opportunity to copy his materials while I can. >>
Still heavy into the mentioned project. Bourland Spouse index complete with some 1,200 names. Can't wait to get back to Bourland puzzle and also your recently posted info on Mary. MUST ask where you found that! Good research . . .
Spoke with noted researcher Brent Holcomb of SC on phone yesterday and my hope that Land Grant records in SC on my William and others would reveal new info has been dashed. Seems that after 1756, those "minutes of Gov. & Council" do not include same detail as before that time. Oh well.

Michael in Dallas

PRODIGY(R) interactive personal service 03/28/93 6:01 PM

TOPIC: GENEALOGY
SURNAMES A-L
TIME: 03/26 10:14 AM

TO: MELANIE NOLAN (CHBT96A)
FROM: MICHAEL MATTHEWS (CCNJ72A)
SUBJECT: BOURLAND

Melanie:
One Sarah (Grace) Bourland was a daughter of a William Bourland of Laurens Co., SC whose will in 1804 names her and 12 other children. Sarah m. John Gilbert and their children according to my info at present:
Ambrose B. Gilbert, b. early 1800's, m. Sarah Wright
John C. Gilbert, b. ear. 1800's, m. Rachel (L.N.U.) >>
Caroline M. Gilbert m. Samuel T. Nix
Washington A. Gilbert, b. 1814; m. Sarah E. Oliver
Addison Gilbert, b. 1821 NC; d. 1902; m. Lucretia Roberts

I have that Sarah Bourland was b. ca 1784, prob. SC. Her father William Bourland shows up in western SC land records as early as 1760's. But we do not know his true ancestry though suspect relation of some kind to the family of one John Bourland who d. in NC late 1700's. This man the subject of the book, "The Bourlands in America".
Would be interested in any information you might have >> on the descendants of Sarah Bourland & John Gilbert, and will happily share info with you. If your lineage true to Sarah and this the right one, then you and I and many others are distant "CUZ" and happy to meet you.

Michael in Dallas

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Ambrose B. - Minister?
Last rec'd marriage performed by John Gilbert
13 Feb 1840
John b 1778 Tryon Co. NC
d 1841
lived Rutherford Co. NC

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GENEALOGY
TOPIC: SURNAMES A-L
TIME: 03/28 3:58 PM

TO: JANIE WEAVER (VXNW25A)
FROM: MICHAEL MATTHEWS (CCNJ72A)
SUBJECT: BOURLAND

Janie: Interestingly, your Benjamin made the papers this Sunday morning: Dallas Morning News in a Texas Sketch by A.C. Greene, regional historian: says Benjamin Bourland husband of Nancy Chisum, only living sister of cattle baron John Chisum who was from Paris, TX area.

I'll send that along too. You mentioned other newspaper articles and if you can narrow date to within a month or >> so, the papers are all on microfilm at Dallas Public Library and copies can be made. Book came in but missing some previous updates that John Wilson had produced so I'll just copy mine and include, give me couple days to gather and copy all that. Ans to Q: Have looked at numerous records in Laurens Co., SC re: William Bourland and the others.

Many notes, etc. in that Ref Book, but thinking of trying to computerize all these facts somehow. That's another project. Keep on searchin' . . .

Michael in Dallas

GENEALOGY
TOPIC: SURNAMES A-L
TO: CCNJ72A
SUBJECT: BOURLAND
DATE: 03/29/1993

Dear Michael,

Thank you for your reply. I am really confused now! Had to report for jury duty in Houston at 12:15 today, so went in early and went by Clayton....I am sad to say that they do not have a copy of The Bourlands of America. Also, checked last week at LDS FHC in Kingwood and SLC doesn't have it on microfilm. I did order the Bourland Newsletter on microfiche tho, but have to wait 2 weeks.

The trip to Clayton produced nothing except the knowledge that Ambrose B. Gilbert married Sarah Wright on 20 Jul 1826, and that he also was a minister and that John Gilbert was definitely a minister, because they both are in a book on marriages in Lincoln Co., TN as performing some of the marriages.

If you will bear with me, could I present what I have and ask you for your opinion. You do seem quite knowledgeable on the Bourlands. This may take a while.

First, I have information that was done by a lady who lived in Midland, Texas, who is deceased and her children have put her work in storage - no interest in it. She says:

Rev. John Gilbert, d 1841 in Lincoln Co., TN; m. Sallie ? Bourland.

1. Ambrose Bourland Gilbert m (1) Sarah Wright
2. Mary Gilbert m. George Leonard
3. John C. Gilbert m. Rachel Roberts
4. (female) m. John McNatt
5. (female) m. Malcolm McNatt
6. Washington Alexander Gilbert m. Sarah Elizabeth Oliver
7. Dock Addison Gilbert m. Lucretia Roberts
8. Melinda Caroline Gilbert m. Samuel Nicks/Nix

Your information had the same children for Rev. John and Sallie except that you did not have Mary Gilbert m. George Leonard or the two females who married McNatt men.

The female who married John McNatt was Sallie R. Gilbert and these are my ancestors. The female who married Malcolm McNatt was Oney L. Gilbert. Malcolm McNatt was John McNatt's brother.

My information on the McNatt family came from my uncle. My maiden name is McNatt and John and Sallie McNatt are my gr gr grandparents.

John McNatt m. Sallie R. Gilbert 30 Sept 1830 in Bedford Co., TN

1. Nancy Caroline McNatt, b. 25 Dec 1835 in Lawrence Co., MO
2. Martin Van Buren McNatt, b. 1837 in Lawrence Co., MO
3. Mary Ann McNatt b. 1840 in Lawrence Co., TN
4. Sarah McNatt, b. 25 Dec 1840 in Lawrence Co., TN
5. Emaline McNatt, b. 2 Jan 1843 in Lawrence Co., TN
6. Allen Rite McNatt, b. 19 Mar 1845 in Lawrence Co., TN
7. John Jay McNatt, b. 5 Mar 1847 in Lawrence Co., TN
8. Francis Onea McNatt, b. 26 Mar 1849 in Lawrence Co., TN
9. Carr S. McNatt, b. 23 Oct. 1851>>>See Next Post

GENEALOGY
TOPIC: SURNAMES A-L
TO: CCNJ72A
SUBJECT: BOURLAND
DATE: 03/29/1993

10. Gilbert Washington McNatt, b. 28 Mar 1854 in Lawrence Co., TN

Gilbert Washington McNatt is my gr. grandfather. I have more information on all of these children of John and Sallie (Gilbert) McNatt.
Now, here is how it goes haywire. Looking at the Laurens Co., SC records (I have Sarah Nash's book and Ingmire's will books of Laurens Co., SC) I do find the will of Wm. Bourland. I ask you to consider that the daughter named Sarah in this will is not "Sarah Grace Bourland" but instead Sarah Bourland GRACE. If you have Sarah Nash's book on Laurens Co. records, look on p. 452, #95. Another of the children named in Wm. Bourland's will was Cassa GRACE. It appears that they married brothers.

I also found a will in Laurens Co. dated 3 Jan 1804 for Jacob Roberts (also a Baptist Minister). He names as one of his daughters Sarah GILBERT. He also named daughter Cassey GILBERT. This will is in Will Book C-1, p. 27. Further on in Will Book D-1, p. 355 is the Return of the Estate of Jacob Roberts. Accepting for the share of Sarah Gilbert was her husband John GILBERT.

This is enough to make you CRAZY. Would you please tell me where you got your infor on Rev. John Gilbert and Sallie Bourland. Also, is it possible for me to obtain a copy of the Bourland Book. Is it still in publication?
What makes all this really crazy is that the info my uncle gave me had Rev. John Gilbert marrying Caroline BARKER. It is possible that he married Sallie (BOURLAND OR ROBERTS) first and Caroline BARKER as a 2nd wife.

Any help you extend will be greatly appreciated.

Melanie Nolan

PRODIGY(R) interactive personal service 03/30/93 9:00 PM

GENEALOGY
TOPIC: SURNAMES A-L
TIME: 03/30 8:54 AM

TO: MELANIE NOLAN (CHBT96A)
FROM: MICHAEL MATTHEWS (CCNJ72A)
SUBJECT: BOURLAND

Melanie:
You're right. I left out the two females who m. McNatts but these unknowns were in the book as well as Mary. There are couple dozen copies of "The Bourlands in America" still available. Address next page. Much of your info not in the book nor published in 15 years of Bulletins, but doesn't mean it wasn't sent in to the Society: they've never >> been able to publish all that is received, I am told.
So what you know valuable to this (William) branch of the Bourland family. We were of the "unlocated" bunch. That was the cryptic message if any. You've possibly researched your way into a puzzle that has confounded many for years. The book still available thru:

The Bourland-Loving Society
Rt. 3, Box 308L c/o Ms. Madilene Huff
Galena, MO 65656

Copies are $25 ea including postage. There will be fewer available after the upcoming reunion so buy now if you >> want it. And welcome to the confusion. Actually, only a few pages of the book deal with your branch, and mine. That is, IF you believe your Rev John m. Sarah Bourland. I like your suggestion re: the possible marriages to GRACE bros. and this suggested before, some 15 years ago. But we still believe this Sarah m. a Gilbert. This issue not the focus of MY study which is to identify this William who left a will in 1804 . . . he barely mentioned in the book. You raise interesting questions and provide new knowledge of descendants and would like to stay in touch.
Michael in Dallas

North Carolina
Alston
Going
Phillips
Gilbert

PRODIGY(R) interactive personal service 05/13/93 10:17 AM

GENEALOGY
TOPIC: SURNAMES A-H
TIME: 05/08 11:28 AM

TO: JAMES GILBERT (CPSD16A)
FROM: TJ HUTCHINS (GNNN24E)
SUBJECT: GILBERT

I am trying to find out information on my Gilbert family, and welcome any information about the family. I am really interested in this witchcraft thing with Lydia Gilbert, can you shed some light on the subject.
Thanks,
Kim M Kester
1017 Huron Ave Sheboygan, WI 53081
I am off *P but have access to a friends computer, and check the boards quite often, but thought that I would leave you my snail mail address also. My connection to the family is Lydia Gilbert, born 27 Sept 1764 dau of Samuel and Lydia Post Gilbert.
Thanks again,
Kim in WI

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15 April 1994

Tennessee Genealogical Records: Records of Early Settlers from State and County Archives, Edythe Rucker Whitley, Baltimore: Genealogical Publishing Co., Inc., 1980

[Note: First page number in left margin is page number in Mrs. Whitley's book.]

p. 254--Petition for an alteration in the Constitution from sundry Citizens of Smith County, 27 Nov 1837, asking for a new county. Signed by a number of citizens of Dist. 11 of said Smith County. This petition is filed in Box 75, Legislative Papers, Tennessee State Archives, Nashville. David F. GILBERT signed.

p. 271--Entries of Sullivan County from 1780:
7 Mar 1780. Daniel Miller enters 300 acres on the north side of Holston River on the waters of Sinking Creek, joining John Laughlen, John GILBERT, and Co. Shelby, joining my former entry. No. 264.
Col.

p. 183--Petition of Bedford County, 1822. Box 34 of Legislative Papers files in the TSA. Petition of William Galbreath, 1822. He purchased in Shelbyville a lot together with a wood (?) carding machine for which he paid the sum of $2500.00. The said machine is on the north side of Duck River in the Town of Shelbyville, etc. He seeks a permit to build a dam across Duck River. Dated 22 Sept 1825. Signed by (among a long list) Thos. FOSTER, Nathaniel KING, Edward HOLLAND, Jas. HOLLAND, Nelson HOLLAND, Thomas HOLLAND, JR.. No Gilbert or Roberts.
Compiler's note: Bedford Co. was formed from Rutherford Co. in 1807. The court house burned about 1865 and all wills and marriages prior to that date were lost, but the deed books were saved. Another fire in 1934 destroyed the court house at which time most of the books were saved, but many loose papers were lost. The above petition appears to have a few duplications of names, but it is the best list of the county for the early period that I have been able to locate. It will almost suffice as a census of the taxables of the county, especially those in the vicinity of Shelbyville in 1822.

p. 235-- from First Deed Book, Maury County--10 Dec. 1811. James HOLLAND of Maury Co. is conveyed 5000 acres on Fountain Creek by Samuel H. Williams of same county. (p. 35 of deed book)

p. 240--16 Aug 1808. William Frierson, Joseph Brown, John Lindsey, and Isaac ROBERTS, Commissioners of the Town of Columbia, convey a lot in that town to Thomas Dedrick. (p. 174 of deed book)

p. 310--White County, Book A, surveys 27 April 1824 to 28 Mar 1828--James HOLLAND, page 120; Harrison HOLLAND, page 535

Cem. Reids of Lincoln Co. TN - Marsh
Nichols Cem Belleville #5
M J Gilbert (Martha J)
Wife of W. W. Gilbert
Jan 25, 1819
Jul 25, 1879

Land Deed Genealogy of Bedf. Co. TN 1807-1852
Deed Bk "D" 1812-1814
P. 47 James Gilbert Sr. to John Gilbert of
Bedf. Co. TN; to son, land in Bedf. Co. TN
on Thompsons Creek 100 acres 22 Jun 1812.
Reg. 19 Sep 1812
P 48 James Gilbert Sr. to James Gilbert Jr.
100 acres, to son on Thompsons Cr.
22 Jun 1812 Reg: 19 Sep 1812

Deed Book "L"
James Gilbert Sr to Wm. Gilbert Deed of Gift
to son for $1.00; 200 acres where James
now lives, also goods & chattels of James.
11 May 1816 Wit: Robt & Wm Wallace
Reg 25 Jul 1816

James Gilbert
John Gilbert
James Gilbert Jr.
Wm. Gilbert

Will of Wm. Bourland (Laurens Co. SC)

Wife - Marey

Daus - ① Rody McClure (dec'd) ⑧ Eliz. Rammage
② Mary Odle ⑨ Rebekah Fowler
③ Isabel Harper
④ Jennet Dooland
* ⑤ Sarah Grace
⑥ Maney (?) Whetford (Prob. Mary)
⑦ Cassa Grace

Sons ⑩ John Bourland gr. dau - Jennet Rammage
⑪ James Bourland
⑫ Andrew Bourland

Exer: John Bourland (Son)

Wit: Robt Long, Jno Wilson, Eliz Langston

Signed 26 Jan 1804

Rec'd - 6 Feb 1804

Will Book C-1, p. 95-96